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STATE OF LOUISIANA**

**FORTY-EIGHTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS**

**Thirty-Second Regular Session of the Legislature  
Under the Adoption of the  
Constitution of 1974**

Senate Chamber  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, June 19, 2006

The Senate was called to order at 9:30 o'clock A.M., by Hon. Donald E. Hines, President of the Senate.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

PRESENT

Mr. President	Dupre	Marionneaux
Adley	Ellington	McPherson
Amedee	Fields	Michot
Bajoie	Fontenot	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Cain	Hollis	Romero
Chaisson	Jackson	Schedler
Cheek	Jones	Shepherd
Cravins	Kostelka	Smith
Dardenne	Lentini	Theunissen
Duplessis	Malone	Ullo
Total - 39		

ABSENT

Total - 0

The President of the Senate announced there were 39 Senators present and a quorum.

**Prayer**

The prayer was offered by Senator Jones, following which the Senate joined in pledging allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

**Reading of the Journal**

On motion of Senator Jones, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal of yesterday was adopted.

**Morning Hour**

**Messages from the House**

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

**Message from the House**

**PASSED SENATE BILLS AND  
JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally passed the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions:

**SENATE BILL NO. 545—**  
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.26(D) and 322.37, relative to the disposition of certain collections from the sales of services; to provide with respect to the disposition of the avails of the tax on the sales of services in St. Tammany Parish; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 624—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:2(21) and (22), 52(D) and (H)(2)(b), 53(B)(1) and (2), (F), (G)(1), (J)(1) and (2), (K)(1)(a) and (c), and (O)(2), 53.2(A)(5) and (C), 55(I)(1)(a) and (c), 63(A)(1) and (B), 94(B)(2), 96.1(A), (E), and (F), 141, 171(D)(3), (5) and (8), (F), (G), (N) and (P), relative to mental health; to provide for duties and responsibilities of physicians, psychiatrists, and psychologists; to add duties and responsibilities of nurse practitioners and psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**CONCURRING IN  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally concurred in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 131—**  
BY SENATOR QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish the Property Insurance Task Force to study property insurance issues; to provide for the membership of the task force; and to provide that the task force report its findings to the legislature, with any recommendations for legislation, prior to the next regular session.

Reported with amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 136—**  
BY SENATOR ROMERO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue and expand the purpose of the Atchafalaya Parkway Commission in its study for the need to construct and manage improvements to certain highways in the parishes of St. Martin and St. Landry, by including Iberia Parish in such study; to include representation of the parish government of Iberia on the commission; and to require the commission to make recommendations to the Senate and House committees on transportation, highways and public works prior to the commencement of the 2007 Regular Session.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 104—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to continue the panel of healthcare information technology and fiscal experts who were first convened in July 2005, at the e-Health Information Summit meeting for the purpose of

identifying and recommending a method for funding investments in health information technology in both public and private healthcare provider facilities, and to direct the panel to develop recommendations to encourage medical professionals to adopt health information technology in the delivery of publicly and privately funded health care services.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 138—**  
BY SENATORS DUPLESSIS AND MURRAY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To strongly urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to immediately test, with scientists identified by the community, the actual contents and leachate of the Chef Menteur landfill itself.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 143—**  
BY SENATORS MALONE, BOASSO, DUPRE, N. GAUTREUX,  
ROMERO, MICHOT AND BARHAM  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Division of Administration, office of facility and control, the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, division of law enforcement, and Louisiana State University, office of community design and development, to conduct a feasibility study regarding construction of a new law enforcement training facility for the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 144—**  
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of John Carter Wilkinson, retired Baton Rouge attorney and businessman.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 145—**  
BY SENATOR MURRAY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the New Orleans Civil Service Commission, in the strongest possible terms, to establish a regular schedule of monthly meeting dates beginning immediately, to provide public notice of such schedule, and to meet on each scheduled date.

Reported without amendments.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 146—**  
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREUX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Recovery Authority to adopt a new plan for recovery that provides for deep recovery and renewal by: providing for homeowner assistance through the use of zero percent loans; including incentives to encourage raising structures above flood levels or relocate to safer ground; providing for financial processing by the state's banking community rather than state or federal government agencies; incorporating neighborhood design components which will be attractive to and integrate business and industry; providing partnership opportunities with nonprofit organizations which are actively involved in residential construction or licensed as residential contractors; and encouraging the use of building materials that would produce environmentally friendly and hurricane resistant products.

Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**RELATIVE TO CONSIDERATION  
AFTER 82<sup>ND</sup> CALENDAR DAY**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House, by a record vote of two-thirds of its elected members, has adopted a motion to consider Senate Bill No. 687 on Third Reading and Final Passage after the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day and asks the Senate to concur in the same.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 119 by Senator Mount:

Representatives Durand, Walker and Lancaster.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 22 by Senator Smith:

Representatives Alexander, Ansardi and LaFleur.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 41 by Senator B. Gautreaux:

Representatives Schneider, Geymann and Kleckley.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 204 by Senator Cheek:

Representatives Jack Smith, Baylor and Honey.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 214 by Senator Murray:

Representatives Richmond, Toomy and K. Carter.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 258 by Senator Boasso:

Representatives Schneider, Geymann and Robideaux.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 723 by Senator Malone:

Representatives Montgomery, Quezaire and Glover.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to House Bill No. 13 by Representative Greene:

Representatives Greene, Toomy and K. Carter.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1383 by Representative Townsend:

Representatives Townsend, Durand and Hammett.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 89.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 229.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 548.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 568.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 573.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 418.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 699.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 992.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1073.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of

Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1395.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Senate Resolutions  
on Second Reading**

The following Senate Resolutions were read and acted upon as follows:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 157—  
BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS**

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Louisiana Housing Finance Authority (LHFA) to leverage at least fifteen percent of its Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) dollars with its second round tax credit funding to maximize funding available to recreate housing in the Gulf Opportunity Zone.

On motion of Senator Duplessis, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**Messages from the House**

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

**Message from the House**

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN  
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally passed and asks your concurrence in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 323—  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY**

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To designate April 15-21, 2007, as Hurricane Preparedness Week.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 324—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CRAVINS, RICHMOND, BADON, BARROW, BAYLOR, BURRELL, K. CARTER, CURTIS, DORSEY, GALLOT, GLOVER, GRAY, E. GUILLORY, HARRIS, HONEY, HUNTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, LAFONTA, MARCHAND, PIERRE, AND QUEZAIRE AND SENATORS BAJOIE, BROOME, CRAVINS, DUPLÉSSIS, FIELDS, JACKSON, JONES, MURRAY, AND SHEPHERD

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend the Honorable Donald R. "Don" Cravins, Sr. and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to St. Landry Parish, Lafayette Parish, and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana Senate.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Senator Bajoie in the Chair**

**House Concurrent Resolutions**

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following House Concurrent Resolutions just received from the House which were taken up, read a first and second time by their titles and acted upon as follows:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 323—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To designate April 15-21, 2007, as Hurricane Preparedness Week.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Bajoie moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Duplessis	Marionneau
Adley	Dupre	McPherson
Amedee	Ellington	Michot
Bajoie	Fontenot	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hollis	Schedler
Chaisson	Jones	Shepherd
Cheek	Kostelka	Smith
Cravins	Lentini	Theunissen
Dardenne	Malone	Ullo
Total - 36		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Fields	Jackson	Quinn
Total - 3		

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 324—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CRAVINS, RICHMOND, BADON, BARROW, BAYLOR, BURRELL, K. CARTER, CURTIS, DORSEY, GALLOT, GLOVER, GRAY, E. GUILLORY, HARRIS, HONEY, HUNTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, LAFONTA, MARCHAND, PIERRE, AND QUEZAIRE AND SENATORS BAJOIE, BROOME, CRAVINS, DUPLÉSSIS, FIELDS, JACKSON, JONES, MURRAY, AND SHEPHERD

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend the Honorable Donald R. "Don" Cravins, Sr. and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to St. Landry Parish, Lafayette Parish, and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana Senate.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Bajoie moved to concur in the House Concurrent Resolution.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dupre	McPherson
Adley	Ellington	Michot
Amedee	Fields	Mount
Bajoie	Fontenot	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Romero
Broome	Heitmeier	Schedler
Cain	Hollis	Shepherd
Chaisson	Jones	Smith
Cheek	Kostelka	Theunissen
Cravins	Lentini	Ullo
Dardenne	Malone	
Duplessis	Marionneau	
Total - 37		

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NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Jackson Quinn  
Total - 2

The Chair declared the Senate had concurred in the House Concurrent Resolution and ordered it returned to the House.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

CONCURRING IN  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has finally concurred in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 128—  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt Joint Rule No. 19 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and the House of Representatives, relative to time limitations in the consideration of the General Appropriations Bill; to provide for periods of deliberation regarding such bill in the Senate; and to provide for related matters.

Reported with amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 137—  
BY SENATOR HINES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt Paragraphs F and I of Joint Rule No. 5 of Joint Rules of Order of the Senate and the House of Representatives, relative to duplicate bills to limit the application of the duplicate bill rule to identical local bills.

Reported with amendments.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Motion to Consider

Senator Dardenne moved the adoption of a motion to allow the House to consider Senate Bill No. 687 on Third Reading and Final Passage, Subject to Call, after the 6:00 p. m. on 82nd calendar day.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	Marionneaux
Adley	Ellington	McPherson
Amedee	Fields	Michot
Bajoie	Fontenot	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hollis	Schedler

Chaisson	Jones	Smith
Cheek	Kostelka	Theunissen
Dardenne	Lentini	Ullo
Duplessis	Malone	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cravins Quinn  
Jackson Shepherd  
Total - 4

The Chair declared that the motion to allow the House to consider Senate Bill No. 687 after 6:00 p. m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day was adopted and the bill may be considered.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 1130 by Representative Richmond, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement; and to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members as conferees on the part of the House:

Representatives Richmond, Baylor and Damico.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 222 by Senator Mount:

Representatives Johns, Quezaire and Cazayoux.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to House Bill No. 234 by Representative Richmond:

Representatives Richmond, Crane and Bruneau.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

HOUSE CONFEREES APPOINTED

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed the following members, on the part of the House of Representatives, to confer, with a like committee from the Senate, on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 513 by Senator Barham:

Representatives McDonald, Alario and Walker.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 128.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 55.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 418 By Representative Alario

June 1, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 418 by Representative Alario, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That Conforming Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 5 proposed by Senator Heitmeier and adopted by the Senate on April 25, 2006, be rejected.

Representatives: John A. Alario, Jr. Charlie DeWitt Jeffery Arnold

Respectfully submitted, Senators: Francis C. Heitmeier Sherri Smith Cheek Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.

Rules Suspended

Senator Heitmeier asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Heitmeier, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names like Mr. President, Dupre, Ellington, etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Quinn Shepherd Total - 2

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Heitmeier moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 800 By Representative Trahan

May 31, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement

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between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 800 by Representative Trahan, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Nevers and adopted by the Senate on May 16, 2006, be rejected.

Representatives: Don Trahan, Carl Crane, Harold Ritchie. Respectfully submitted, Senators: Ben Nevers, Michael J. Michot, Donald E. Hines.

Rules Suspended

Senator Nevers asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Nevers, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President, Mr. President, Adley, Amedee, Bajoie, Barham, Boasso, Broome, Cain, Chaisson, Cheek, Dardenne, Duplessis, Dupre, Ellington, Fields, Fontenot, Gautreaux B, Gautreaux N, Heitmeier, Hollis, Jackson, Kostelka, Lentini, Malone, Marionneaux, McPherson, Michot, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Romero, Schedler, Smith, Theunissen, Ullo.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cravins, Quinn, Shepherd

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Nevers moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

Motion to Consider

Senator Hines moved the adoption of a motion to allow the Senate to consider House Bill No. 1090 on Third Reading and Final Passage. Subject to Call, after 6:00 p. m. on the 82nd calendar day, pursuant to the consent of the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President, Mr. President, Adley, Amedee, Bajoie, Barham, Boasso, Broome, Cain, Chaisson, Dupre, Ellington, Fields, Fontenot, Gautreaux B, Gautreaux N, Heitmeier, Hollis, Jackson, Marionneaux, McPherson, Michot, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Quinn, Romero, Schedler.

Cheek, Dardenne, Duplessis, Total - 36, Jones, Kostelka, Lentini, Smith, Theunissen, Ullo

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cravins, Total - 3, Malone, Shepherd

The Chair declared that the motion to allow the Senate to consider House Bill No. 1090 after 6:00 p. m. on the 82nd calendar day was adopted and the bill may be considered pursuant to the consent of the House.

Motion to Recommit

Senator Chaisson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules and recommitted House Bill No. 439 to the Conference Committee.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 52 By Representative Hammett

June 12, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 52 by Representative Hammett, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator McPherson and adopted by the Senate on April 25, 2006, be rejected. 2. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator McPherson and adopted by the Senate on May 1, 2006, be rejected. 3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1 On page 1, delete lines 16 through 19 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 2 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 6 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 3 On page 2, line 7, change "D" to "C"

Representatives: Bryant O. Hammett, Jr., T. Taylor Townsend, Wilfred Pierre. Respectfully submitted, Senators: Joe McPherson, Max T. Malone, Nick Gautreaux

Rules Suspended

Senator Malone asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Malone, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	McPherson
Adley	Fields	Michot
Amedee	Fontenot	Mount
Bajoie	Gautreaux B	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Boasso	Heitmeier	Quinn
Broome	Hollis	Romero
Cain	Jackson	Schedler
Chaisson	Jones	Smith
Cheek	Kostelka	Theunissen
Cravins	Lentini	Ullo
Dardenne	Malone	
Dupre	Marionneaux	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Duplessis	Shepherd
Total - 2	

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Malone moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

House Bill No. 824 By Representative Frith

June 8, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 824 by Representative Frith, recommend the following concerning the Original bill:

1. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by the Senator Malone and adopted by the Senate on May 25, 2006, be rejected.

Representatives:  
Mickey Frith  
Wilfred Pierre  
Jack D. Smith

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Max T. Malone  
Nick Gautreaux  
Craig F. Romero

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Malone asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Malone, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	Michot
Adley	Ellington	Mount
Amedee	Fields	Murray
Bajoie	Fontenot	Nevers
Barham	Heitmeier	Quinn
Boasso	Hollis	Romero
Broome	Jackson	Schedler

Cain	Jones	Shepherd
Chaisson	Kostelka	Smith
Cheek	Lentini	Theunissen
Cravins	Malone	Ullo
Dardenne	Marionneaux	
Duplessis	McPherson	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B	Gautreaux N
Total - 2	

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Malone moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

House Bill No. 594 By Representative Greene

June 12, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 594 by Representative Greene, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on May 24, 2006, be rejected.

Representatives  
Hunter Greene  
Glenn Ansardi  
Joel Robideaux

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Robert J. Barham  
Arthur J. "Art" Lentini  
Robert W. "Bob" Kostelka

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Lentini asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Lentini, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	McPherson
Adley	Ellington	Michot
Amedee	Fields	Mount
Bajoie	Fontenot	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux N	Quinn
Boasso	Heitmeier	Romero
Broome	Hollis	Schedler
Cain	Jackson	Shepherd
Chaisson	Jones	Smith
Cheek	Kostelka	Theunissen
Cravins	Lentini	Ullo
Dardenne	Malone	
Duplessis	Marionneaux	
Total - 37		

June 19, 2006

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Gautreaux B  
Total - 2

Nevers

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Lentini moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
House Bill No. 884 By Representative Durand

June 13, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 884 by Representative Durand, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 proposed by Senator Broome and adopted by the Senate on May 23, 2006, be rejected.
2. That the following amendments to the Engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "9:2793.3 and 2793.4" to "9:2793.3, 2793.4, 2793.5, and 2793.6," and on page 1, line 7 change "9:2793.3 and 2793.4" to read "9:2793.3, 2793.4, 2793.5, and 2793.6"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after the semicolon ";" insert "to provide a limitation of liability for PRC Compassion, Inc.; to provide a limitation of liability for certain Catholic entities;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, after line 4, insert the following:

"§2793.5. Gratuitous services rendered by PRC Compassion, Inc.; limitation of liability

PRC Compassion, Inc. or any officer, employee, or volunteer thereof, who gratuitously renders any disaster relief or recovery services following a declared state of emergency, shall not be liable to any person for any injury, death, loss, civil penalty, or damage as a result of any act or omission in rendering relief or recovery services or as a result of any act or failure to act or failure to provide or arrange for further services, unless the damage or injury was caused by gross negligence or willful and wanton misconduct.

§2793.6. Gratuitous services rendered by Catholic charities; limitation of liability

Any entity or any officer, employee, or volunteer thereof, listed in the Official Catholic Directory published by P.J. Kenedy & Sons who gratuitously renders any disaster relief or recovery services following a declared state of emergency, shall not be liable to any person for any injury, death, loss, civil penalty, or damage as a result of any act or omission in rendering relief or recovery services or as a result of any act or failure to act or failure to provide or arrange for further services, unless the damage or injury was caused by gross negligence or willful and wanton misconduct."

Representatives:  
Sydnie Mae Durand  
Glenn Ansardi  
Charles McDonald

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Sharon Weston Broome  
James David Cain

Rules Suspended

Senator Broome asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Broome, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Michot
Adley	Dupre	Mount
Amedee	Ellington	Murray
Bajoie	Fontenot	Quinn
Barham	Gautreaux B	Romero
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Schedler
Broome	Heitmeier	Shepherd
Cain	Hollis	Smith
Chaisson	Jackson	Theunissen
Cheek	Jones	Ullo
Cravins	Malone	
Dardenne	McPherson	
Total - 34		

NAYS

Fields	Lentini	Marionneaux
Total - 3		

ABSENT

Kostelka	Nevers
Total - 2	

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Broome moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
House Bill No. 1010 By Representative Gary Smith

June 12, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1010 by Representative Gary Smith, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Marionneaux and adopted by the Senate on June 5, 2006, be rejected.

Representatives:  
Gary L. Smith, Jr.  
Roy Quezair, Jr.  
Damon J. Baldone

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Robert Marionneaux, Jr.  
Joel T. Chaisson II  
John L. "Jay" Dardenne

Rules Suspended

Senator Chaisson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Chaisson, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Duplessis Malone
Adley Dupre Marionneaux
Amedee Ellington McPherson
Bajoie Fields Michot
Barham Fontenot Mount
Boasso Gautreaux B Murray
Broome Gautreaux N Quinn
Cain Heitmeier Romero
Chaisson Hollis Jackson Schedler
Cheek Jones Shepherd
Cravins Kostelka Smith
Dardenne Lentini Theunissen
Ullo
Total - 35

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Jackson Schedler
Nevers Shepherd
Total - 4

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Chaisson moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 60 By Representative Gray

June 12, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 60 by Representative Gray, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 proposed by Senator Lentini and adopted by the Senate on May 30, 2006, be adopted.
2. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 5 proposed by Senator Lentini and adopted by the Senate on May 30, 2006, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,
Representatives: Cheryl Gray, Glenn Ansardi, Rick Gallot
Senators: Arthur J. "Art" Lentini, Edwin R. Murray, Lydia P. Jackson

Rules Suspended

Senator Lentini asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Lentini, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dupre Marionneaux
Adley Ellington McPherson
Amedee Fields Michot
Bajoie Fontenot Mount
Barham Gautreaux B Murray
Boasso Gautreaux N Nevers
Broome Heitmeier Quinn
Cain Hollis Romero
Chaisson Jackson Schedler
Cheek Jones Shepherd
Cravins Kostelka Smith
Dardenne Lentini Theunissen
Duplessis Malone Ullo
Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Lentini moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 1073 By Representative Hutter

June 15, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1073 by Representative Hutter, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance and adopted by the Senate on May 4, 2006, be rejected.
2. That Senate Committee Amendment No. 5 proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance and adopted by the Senate on May 4, 2006, be adopted.
3. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Heitmeier and adopted by the Senate on May 16, 2006, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,
Representatives: Karen R. Carter, Nita Hutter, Cedric Richmond
Senators: James David Cain, Francis C. Heitmeier, Arthur J. "Art" Lentini

Rules Suspended

Senator Lentini asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Lentini, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

June 19, 2006

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	Marionneaux
Adley	Ellington	McPherson
Amedee	Fields	Michot
Bajoie	Fontenot	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Cain	Hollis	Romero
Chaisson	Jackson	Schedler
Cheek	Jones	Shepherd
Cravins	Kostelka	Smith
Dardenne	Lentini	Theunissen
Duplessis	Malone	Ullo

Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Lentini moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
House Bill No. 992 By Representative Marchand

June 12, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 992 by Representative Marchand, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on May 24, 2006, be adopted.
2. That Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on May 25, 2006, be adopted.
3. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senator Murray and adopted by the Senate on May 30, 2006, be rejected.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Representatives: Charmaine Marchand, Emile "Peppi" Bruneau  
 Senators: Robert W. "Bob" Kostelka, Edwin R. Murray

Rules Suspended

Senator Murray asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Murray, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	Kostelka
Bajoie	Fields	Marionneaux

Broome	Gautreaux B	Murray
Cheek	Heitmeier	Shepherd
Cravins	Jackson	
Duplessis	Jones	

Total - 16

NAYS

Adley	Fontenot	Nevers
Amedee	Hollis	Quinn
Barham	Lentini	Romero
Boasso	Malone	Schedler
Cain	McPherson	Smith
Dardenne	Michot	Theunissen
Ellington	Mount	Ullo

Total - 21

ABSENT

Chaisson	Gautreaux N
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Total - 2

The Chair declared the Senate refused to adopt the Conference Committee Report. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the report failed to be adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
House Bill No. 699 By Representative Montgomery

June 16, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 699 by Representative Montgomery, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 18 proposed by the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2006, be adopted.
2. That Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on June 5, 2006, be adopted.
3. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 3 proposed by Senators Hollis and Ellington and adopted by the Senate on June 7, 2006, be adopted.
4. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Nevers and adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2006, be rejected.
5. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Michot and adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2006, be adopted.
6. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

"E. It is the policy of this state to encourage participation of minority and women's business enterprise in the procurement of goods and services by state agencies and educational institutions from the private sector. Likewise, the legislature would like to encourage any person or entity providing cable or video service in this state through a statewide certificate of franchise authority, as provided in this Chapter, to actively seek increased participation of minority and women's business enterprise as suppliers of goods and services necessary for provision of cable and video service."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 6, line 20, after "delivered." insert the following:  
"Nothing contained herein shall be construed to grant a cable or video service provider the right to construct facilities on private property without the consent of the owner of that property. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, subject to the permitting requirements of Title 48, the applicant has authority to construct or place facilities within any right-of-way obtained by the state or a local governmental subdivision whether those rights so obtained are in full or in servitude. If the applicant desires to construct or place facilities outside of the state or local governmental subdivision right-of-way, the consent of the landowner is required."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 9, line 10, after "assessed" insert "by a local governmental subdivision"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 9, line 11, after "for" delete "its"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 9, line 11, after "within" delete "the" and insert "its"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 10, line 20, after "any" insert "build-out"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 10, line 22, after "certificate" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and insert "subject to the provisions of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 15, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:  
"C. Nothing in this Chapter is intended to alter existing law regarding expropriation of property by a cable or video service provider."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 15, at the beginning of line 15, delete "The" and insert "Except as provided in Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, the"

Representatives:  
 Billy Montgomery  
 Gil Pinac  
 Michael Strain

Respectfully submitted,  
 Senators:  
 Noble Ellington  
 Ken Hollis  
 Ben Nevers

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Ellington asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Ellington, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	McPherson
Amedee	Ellington	Michot
Bajoie	Fields	Mount
Barham	Fontenot	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux B	Romero
Broome	Gautreaux N	Schedler
Cain	Heitmeier	Shepherd
Chaisson	Hollis	Smith
Cheek	Jones	Theunissen
Dardenne	Kostelka	Ullo
Duplessis	Malone	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Adley  
 Cravins  
 Total - 4

Nevers  
 Quinn

ABSENT

Jackson  
 Total - 3

Lentini  
 Marionneaux

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
 House Bill No. 240 By Representative Greene

June 16, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 240 by Representative Greene, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator McPherson and adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2006, be rejected.
2. That the following amendment to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 2, after "To" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 32:365(A)(1) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "violations;" insert "to provide relative to traffic safety violations;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, after "Section 1." insert "R.S. 32:365(A)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted and"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

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§365. Television

A.(1) Except as provided in this Section, no person shall drive a motor vehicle which is equipped with a television receiver, screen, or other means of visually receiving a television broadcast or a video signal that produces entertainment or business applications, which is located in the motor vehicle at any point forward of the back of the driver's seat, or which is visible to the driver while operating the motor vehicle. Additionally, no retailer shall install a television receiver, screen or other means of receiving a visual television broadcast or video signal that produces entertainment or business applications, in a motor vehicle at any point forward of the back of the driver's seat or at any point which would make the device visible to the driver while operating the motor vehicle. The provisions of this Paragraph shall also apply to "digital versatile disc" or "digital video disc" players which are also commonly known as DVD players.

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Representatives:  
 Hunter Greene  
 Roy Quezair, Jr.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Senators:  
 Sharon Weston Broome  
 Joe McPherson

June 19, 2006

Hollis Downs

Robert W. "Bob" Kostelka

Rules Suspended

Senator McPherson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator McPherson, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dupre Michot
Adley Ellington Mount
Amedee Fields Murray
Bajoie Fontenot Nevers
Barham Gautreaux B Quinn
Boasso Gautreaux N Romero
Broome Heitmeier Schedler
Cain Hollis Shepherd
Chaisson Jackson Smith
Cheek Jones Theunissen
Cravins Kostelka Ullo
Dardenne Malone
Duplessis McPherson
Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Lentini Marionneaux
Total - 2

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator McPherson moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

Mr. President in the Chair

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 134 By Representative Martiny

June 16, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 134 by Representative Martiny, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on June 7, 2006, be adopted.
2. That Senate Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on June 7, 2006, be rejected.
3. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senator Lentini and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2006, be rejected.
4. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 12 through 14 and insert the following:

"this Paragraph shall be expressly waived by a defendant unless the defendant files, in accordance with the provisions of Article 928, a declinatory exception of insufficiency of service of process specifically alleging the failure to timely request service of citation."

Representatives:
Daniel R. Martiny
Glenn Ansardi
T. Taylor Townsend

Respectfully submitted,
Senators:
Arthur J. "Art" Lentini
Edwin R. Murray
Robert Marionneaux, Jr.

Rules Suspended

Senator Murray asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Murray, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dupre Michot
Adley Ellington Mount
Amedee Fields Murray
Bajoie Fontenot Nevers
Barham Gautreaux B Quinn
Boasso Gautreaux N Romero
Broome Heitmeier Schedler
Cain Hollis Shepherd
Chaisson Jackson Smith
Cheek Jones Theunissen
Cravins Kostelka Ullo
Dardenne Malone
Duplessis McPherson
Total - 37

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Lentini Marionneaux
Total - 2

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Murray moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 1395 By Representative St. Germain

June 16, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1395 by Representative St. Germain, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senator Cheek and adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2006, be adopted.
2. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 proposed by Senator Cheek and adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2006, be rejected.
3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete line 28, and insert "The"

Respectfully submitted,  
 Representatives: Senators:  
 Karen St. Germain Sherri Smith Cheek  
 Karen R. Carter D.A. "Butch" Gautreaux  
 Charles E. "Chuck" Kleckley

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Cheek asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Cheek, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	McPherson
Adley	Ellington	Michot
Amedee	Fields	Mount
Bajoie	Fontenot	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Quinn
Broome	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hollis	Schedler
Chaisson	Jackson	Shepherd
Cheek	Jones	Smith
Cravins	Kostelka	Theunissen
Dardenne	Malone	Ullo
Duplessis	Marionneaux	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Lentini  
 Total - 1

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Cheek moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
 House Bill No. 128 By Representative Greene

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 128 by Representative Greene, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on May 24, 2006, be rejected.
2. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 11 through 15 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 16, change "Section 3." to "Section 2."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 19, change "Section 4." to "Section 3."

Respectfully submitted,  
 Representatives: Senators:  
 Hunter Greene John L. "Jay" Dardenne  
 Glenn Ansardi Arthur J. "Art" Lentini  
 Joel Robideaux Craig F. Romero

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Dardenne asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Dardenne, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	McPherson
Adley	Ellington	Michot
Amedee	Fields	Mount
Bajoie	Fontenot	Nevers
Barham	Gautreaux B	Quinn
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Romero
Broome	Heitmeier	Schedler
Cain	Hollis	Shepherd
Chaisson	Jackson	Smith
Cheek	Jones	Theunissen
Cravins	Kostelka	Ullo
Dardenne	Malone	
Duplessis	Marionneaux	
Total - 37		

NAYS

Murray  
 Total - 1

ABSENT

Lentini  
 Total - 1

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Dardenne moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
 House Bill No. 1281 By Representative Dorsey

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1281 by Representative Dorsey, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Fields and adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the following amendments to the Engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "enact" delete "R.S. 33:9038.1," and insert "R.S. 33:9033.4 and 9038.1,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "dedicated in" and before "tax" insert "certain"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "intent;" insert "to provide for sales tax increment financing in Jefferson Parish, including provisions for a special district and its rights and powers and the use of tax increment financing by the district;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 11, after " authorized by" and before "this Chapter" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 12, after "provisions of" and before "this Chapter" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 19, after "by" and before "this Chapter" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 1, after "provisions of" and before "this Chapter" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, line 2, after "by" and before "this Chapter" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 4, after "pursuant to" and before "this Chapter" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2 line 6, after "dedicated" and before "by other" insert "to another purpose"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 8, after "pursuant to" and before "this Chapter" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, line 10, after "dedicated" and before "by other" insert "to another purpose"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 2, line 11, after "election" and before "for such" insert "held"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 2, line 13, after "authorized by" and before "this Chapter" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 2, line 15, after "increment" and before "shall" insert "based upon a tax levied pursuant to Part III of this Chapter"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 2, line 16, after "to" and before "this Chapter" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 2, line 18, after "pursuant to" and before "this" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 2, line 21, after "authorized by" and before "this Chapter" insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 2, at the end of line 22, delete "this" and on line 23, delete "Section," and insert "Part III of this Chapter,"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 2, line 25, after "pursuant to" and before "this Chapter." insert "Part III of"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 3, between lines 8 and 9, insert:

"Section 2. R.S. 33:9033.4 is hereby enacted to read as follows:  
§9033.4. Taxing district in Jefferson Parish

A. Creation. The governing authority of the parish of Jefferson is hereby authorized to create, by ordinance, a special taxing district and political subdivision of the state, referred to in this Section as the "district".

B. Boundaries. The district shall be comprised of the property bounded by Segnette Boulevard, Nicolle Boulevard, Highway 90, and the Westbank Expressway in Jefferson Parish.

C. Purpose. The district shall have as its purpose cooperative economic development between the parish of Jefferson, the Tournament Players Club of Louisiana, Inc., and the district, in order to provide for the following:

(1) The operation, maintenance, upkeep, and capital improvements of the TPC of Louisiana Golf Course in Jefferson Parish, hereinafter in this Section the "golf course", as well as the fulfillment of any contractual obligations of the state relative to the golf course.

(2) The utilization of sales tax increment financing and the use of sales tax increments for the costs and expenses associated with the operation, maintenance, upkeep, and capital improvements of the golf course and the fulfillment of the state's contractual obligations with respect to the golf course.

D. Governance. In order to provide for the orderly development of the district and effectuation of the purposes of the district, the district shall be administered and governed by a board of commissioners established by the ordinance creating the district.

E. Rights and powers. The district, acting by and through its board of commissioners, shall have and exercise all powers of a political subdivision and special taxing district necessary or convenient for the carrying out of its objects and purposes, including but not limited to the following:

(1) To sue and to be sued.

(2) To adopt bylaws and rules and regulations.

(3) To receive by gift, grant, donation, or otherwise any sum of money, property, aid, or assistance from the United States, the state of Louisiana, or any political subdivision thereof, or any person, firm, or corporation.

(4) For the public purposes of the district, to enter into contracts, agreements, or cooperative endeavors with the state and its political subdivisions or political corporations and with any public or private association, corporation, business entity, or individual.

(5) To appoint officers, agents, and employees, prescribe their duties, and fix their compensation.

(6) To acquire by gift, grant, purchase, lease, or otherwise such property as may be necessary or desirable for carrying out the objectives and purposes of the district and to mortgage and sell such property.

(7) In its own name and on its own behalf to incur debt and to issue bonds, notes, certificates, and other evidences of indebtedness. For this purpose the district shall be deemed and considered to be an issuer for purposes of R.S. 33:9037 and shall, to the extent not in conflict with this Section, be subject to the provisions of R.S. 33:9037.

(8) To establish such funds or accounts as are necessary for the conduct of the affairs of the district.

F. (1) In addition to any other authority provided for in this Section and pursuant to a cooperative endeavor agreement authorized by R.S. 33:9038.5, the district may issue revenue bonds payable solely from an irrevocable pledge and dedication of up to the full amount of any sales tax increments designated by the board of commissioners of the district to finance or refinance or to pay all of or a portion of the costs of projects for the operation, maintenance, and upkeep of the golf course or the contractual obligations of the

state relative to the golf course. The district may also utilize any sales tax increments designated by the board of commissioners of the district for any authorized purpose of the district.

(2)(a) Notwithstanding the limitations on the use of state sales tax provided in R.S. 33:9038.4(A), a sales tax increment may consist of that portion of state sales tax revenues of the state of Louisiana and any political subdivision whose boundaries are coterminous with those of the state collected each year on the sale at retail, the use, the lease or rental, the consumption and storage for use or consumption of tangible personal property and on sales of services, all as defined in R.S. 47:301 et seq., or any other appropriate provision or provisions of law, as amended, from taxpayers located within the district which exceeds the sales tax revenues that were collected by such taxing authorities in the year immediately prior to the year of establishment of the district.

(b) Prior to the dedication of any state sales tax increments to be used to pay for an authorized purpose of the district, the secretary of the Department of Economic Development shall submit the proposal to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget for approval. In addition, any cooperative endeavor agreement or other agreement providing for the expenditure of funds collected by the state as state sales tax increments and dedicated to a project or for the payment of revenue bonds therefor shall be subject to approval by the State Bond Commission prior to execution by the state.

(c)(i) The board of commissioners of the district shall designate the initial annual baseline collection rate for the district, which shall be the amount of the sales taxes collected in the district in the fiscal year most recently completed prior to the establishment of the district. In addition, a monthly baseline collection rate shall be determined by dividing the initial annual baseline collection rate by twelve.

(ii) The initial annual baseline collection rate and the monthly baseline collection rate shall be certified by the chief financial officer of Jefferson Parish. The certification shall also be published one time in the official journal of Jefferson Parish.

(iii) If the amounts of the initial annual baseline collection rate and the monthly baseline collection rate are not contested within thirty days after the said publication, then such amounts shall be conclusively presumed to be valid, and no court shall have any jurisdiction to alter or invalidate the designation of the amount of either the initial annual baseline collection rate or the monthly baseline collection rate.

(d) The increment of the sales taxes which are to be pledged and dedicated to the payment of the revenue bonds or otherwise used for district purposes as provided in this Section shall be the amount of the sales taxes which are collected in the sales tax area each year in excess of the initial annual baseline collection rate. Such pledged sales tax increment may include all or any portion of such excess as determined by the board of commissioners of the district.

(3) Dedication of sales tax increments to pay the revenue bonds or other use of sales tax increments for district purposes as provided in this Section shall not impair existing obligations and shall not include tax revenues of a tax authority previously dedicated for a special purpose unless a majority of the electors within the territorial jurisdiction of such tax authority voting at an election held for such purpose approves the use of such tax for the purposes provided for in this Subsection.

G. Liberal construction. This Section, being for a public purpose and necessary for the welfare of the state, Jefferson Parish, and their residents, shall be liberally construed to effect the purposes thereof."

**AMENDMENT NO. 22**

On page 3, line 9, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

**AMENDMENT NO. 23**

On page 3, line 9, after "purpose of" and before "this Act" insert "Section 1 of"

**AMENDMENT NO. 24**

On page 3, line 9, change "this Chapter" to "Part III of Chapter 27 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950"

**AMENDMENT NO. 25**

On page 3, line 16, change "Section 3." to "Section 4."

**AMENDMENT NO. 26**

On page 3, line 20, change "Section 4." to "Section 5."

Representatives:  
Yvonne Dorsey  
Ernest Baylor, Jr.  
Karen St. Germain

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Cleo Fields  
Sharon Weston Broome  
Heulette "Clo" Fontenot

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Broome asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Broome, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dupre	McPherson
Adley	Ellington	Michot
Amedee	Fields	Mount
Barham	Fontenot	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hollis	Schedler
Cheek	Jackson	Shepherd
Cravins	Jones	Theunissen
Duplessis	Malone	Ullo
Total - 30		

**NAYS**

Chaisson	Marionneaux	Smith
Gautreaux N	Quinn	
Total - 5		

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Kostelka
Dardenne	Lentini
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Broome moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

House Bill No. 479 By Representative Farrar

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 479 by Representative Farrar, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Insurance and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Duplessis and adopted by the Senate on June 7, 2006, be adopted.

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3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "22:1409(G)(2)(e)" and insert "22:1409(G)(2)(e), 1409.1,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 4, insert "to otherwise provide with respect to the Louisiana Title Statistical Services Organization;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 9, after "reenacted and" delete "R.S.22:1409(G)(2)(e)" and insert "R.S.22:1409(G)(2)(e), 1409.1,"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, after line 18, insert the following:

"§1409.1. Louisiana Title Statistical Services Organization

A. Louisiana Title Statistical Services Organization is a private rating organization pursuant to R.S. 22:1409, authorized to make title insurance rate filings to the Louisiana Insurance Rating Commission on behalf of its members, which shall be based on information derived from statistical plans developed by the Louisiana Title Statistical Services Organization and approved by the Louisiana Insurance Rating Commission and not from individual expenses or from individual loss cost multipliers. Membership in Louisiana Title Statistical Services Organization shall be voluntary; however, no title insurer properly licensed to do business in the state of Louisiana shall be denied membership provided said title insurer complies with the charter and bylaws of the Louisiana Title Statistical Services Organization

B. Subject to the provisions of Subsection A of this Section, the Louisiana Insurance Rating Commission shall review the rates promulgated by the rating organization to determine whether they meet the requirements of this Part. Such review shall be made in the same manner and subject to the same procedure as is provided in R.S. 22:1407.

C. The board of directors for Louisiana Title Statistical Services Organization shall be elected by the membership, but at all times the board of directors shall include the following three members:

(1) One member who shall be the commissioner of insurance or his designee.

(2) One ex officio member who shall be the chairman of the House Committee on Insurance or a member of that committee designated by him.

(3) One ex officio member who shall be the chairman of the Senate Committee on Insurance or a member of that committee designated by him.

D. Each board member shall be entitled to one vote, except that the legislative members serving pursuant to Paragraphs (C)(2) and (C)(3) of this Section shall be nonvoting members who shall also not be counted for the purposes of a quorum. The officers shall consist of a president, vice president, and secretary-treasurer. The bylaws may provide for such other officers and employees as may be deemed necessary or advisable.

E. There shall be no liability on the part of and no cause of action of any nature shall arise against Louisiana Title Statistical Services Organization or any of its officers, directors, or employees, or against any of its members for any inspections, audits, or other statutory duties performed hereunder or any statements made in good faith by them in any reports or communications concerning risks submitted to the association, or at any administrative hearing conducted in connection therewith under the provisions of this Part."

Respectfully submitted,

Representatives:  
Karen R. Carter  
Rick Farrar  
T. Taylor Townsend

Senators:  
James David Cain  
Donald R. Cravins  
Joe McPherson

Rules Suspended

Senator Cravins asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On

motion of Senator Cravins, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	Michot
Adley	Fields	Mount
Amedee	Fontenot	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Quinn
Broome	Heitmeier	Romero
Chaisson	Hollis	Schedler
Cheek	Jackson	Shepherd
Cravins	Jones	Smith
Dardenne	Kostelka	Theunissen
Duplessis	Malone	Ullo
Dupre	McPherson	
Total - 35		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bajoie	Lentini
Cain	Marionneaux
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Cravins moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
House Bill No. 1307 By Representative Hutter

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1307 by Representative Hutter, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4, proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be adopted.
2. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 5, proposed by Senator Dardenne and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be rejected.
3. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"§467. Opening of qualifying period

The qualifying period for candidates in a primary election shall open:

\* \* \*

(3) For candidates in a primary election for municipal and ward officers who are not elected at the same time as the governor or members of congress in municipalities with a population of less than four hundred seventy-five thousand and those in any special primary election to be held at the same time, on the second Wednesday in February of the year of the election, unless the primary election is held on the second ~~Tuesday in March~~ or third Saturday in February,

in such case the qualifying period for candidates in such primary election shall open on the ~~last second~~ Wednesday in ~~January~~ December of the year of the election.

\* \* \*

Representatives: Charles D. Lancaster, Jr.  
 Billy Montgomery

Respectfully submitted,  
 Senators: John L. "Jay" Dardenne  
 Cleo Fields  
 Robert "Rob" Marionneaux, Jr.

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Dardenne asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Dardenne, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Marionneaux
Adley	Fields	McPherson
Amedee	Fontenot	Michot
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Chaisson	Hollis	Romero
Cheek	Jackson	Schedler
Cravins	Jones	Smith
Dardenne	Kostelka	Theunissen
Duplessis	Lentini	Ullo
Dupre	Malone	
Total - 35		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Mount
Cain	Shepherd
Total - 4	

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Dardenne moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
 House Bill No. 624 By Representative Winston

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 624 by Representative Winston, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2006, be adopted.
2. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 3 proposed by Senator Nevers and adopted by the Senate on June 14, 2006, be rejected.
3. That Senate Floor Amendment Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, and 6 proposed

by Senator Nevers and adopted by the Senate on June 14, 2006, be adopted.

4. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
 On page 2, line 1, after "(2)" and before "fire" change "A" to "The"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
 On page 2, line 3, change "a district" to "the district"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
 On page 2, at the beginning of line 11, change "C." to "E."

Respectfully submitted,  
 Representatives: Michael G. Strain  
 Ernest Baylor, Jr.  
 Harold Ritchie

Senators: Ben Nevers  
 Tom Schedler  
 Julie Quinn

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Nevers asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Nevers, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	McPherson
Adley	Fields	Michot
Amedee	Fontenot	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Cain	Hollis	Romero
Chaisson	Jackson	Schedler
Cheek	Jones	Smith
Cravins	Kostelka	Theunissen
Dardenne	Lentini	Ullo
Duplessis	Malone	
Dupre	Marionneaux	
Total - 37		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Shepherd
Total - 2	

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Nevers moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
 House Bill No. 55 By Representative McDonald

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 55 by Representative McDonald, recommend the following concerning the

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Reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality and adopted by the Senate on May 24, 2007, be adopted.
2. That Senate Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality and adopted by the Senate on May 24, 2007, be rejected.
3. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 4 proposed by Senator Barham and adopted by the Senate on June 15, 2006, be rejected.
4. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 2 and 3 proposed by Senator Barham and adopted by the Senate on June 15, 2006, be adopted.
5. That the following amendments to reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "(introductory paragraph)" delete "and" and insert a comma ",", and "(I)(2) and (3), and (N),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "30:2418(H)(10)," insert "and to repeal R.S. 30:2418(H)(10) effective July 1, 2008,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete line 21, and insert the following:

"I.

\* \* \*

(2) A permitted waste tire processing facility shall be eligible to receive paid a minimum of one dollar and fifty cents per twenty pounds of waste tire material that is recycled or that reaches end-market uses or per twenty pounds of whole waste tires marketed and shipped to a qualified recycler. This payment shall be conditioned on the facility providing to the department any documentation, including but not limited to manifests, statements, or certified scale-weight tickets, required by law or by rules and regulations promulgated by the department. ~~The secretary shall not make payments from the fund or obligate the department to make payments from the fund to any waste tire processor who did not receive payments from the fund prior to March 1, 2004, in an amount greater than fifty percent of the amount otherwise eligible to receive pursuant to this Paragraph until one of the following occurs:~~

~~(a) Payments have been made from the fund to waste tire processors, as provided for in Subparagraph (1)(3)(b), for a period of three consecutive months;~~

~~(b) All undisputed obligations owed to waste tire processors have been paid in full;~~

(3)(a) In the event the balance of the fund is insufficient to meet the obligations to waste tire processors provided for above, the department, after meeting all payments required by law, shall pay any undisputed ~~amounts obligations~~ in a pro rata share to waste tire processors having a standard permit when the request for payment was submitted. Any remaining undisputed obligations which would have been paid to waste tire processors but for the insufficiency of the Waste Tire Management Fund shall be paid from future surplus funds in the Waste Tire Management Fund as provided in Subparagraph(b) of this Paragraph.

(b) In the event the fund has a surplus after meeting all obligations of the fund for the month, including any payments required by law, such surplus shall be distributed in a pro rata share to those waste tire processors having a standard permit when the request for payment was submitted and for whom there are unpaid obligations of the fund, excluding any disputed amounts. Such surplus shall be processed for payment by the department within fifteen days after the end of the month in which the surplus arose.

(c) For purposes of this Section, "undisputed obligations" means those waste tire material payments which should have been paid by the department to a waste tire processor since January 1, 2003, but which have not been paid due to the insufficiency of the Waste Tire Management Fund.

\* \* \*  
N. The secretary shall promulgate rules to make payments to processors on the basis of weight or tire count at the option of the processor. Payments to a waste tire processor, or any portion thereof, shall not be temporarily or permanently withheld or terminated prior to written notification by the department of the reasons for such withholding or termination to the processor by certified mail. Any such disputed funds shall be immediately placed in escrow pending final resolution of the matter.  
\* \* \*

Section 2. R.S. 30:2418(H)(10) is hereby repealed in its entirety

Section 3. The provisions of this Act are interpretive of R.S. 30:2418(I) and are intended to explain and clarify its original intent, notwithstanding the contrary interpretation given in La. Atty. Gen. Op. No. 05-0385, November 10, 2005. Therefore, the provisions of this Act shall be applicable to all claims or actions pending on its effective date and to all claims arising or actions filed on and after its effective date.

Section 4. This Section and Sections 1, 3, and 5 of this Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Section and this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

Section 5. Section 2 of this Act shall become effective July 1, 2008."

Representatives:  
Charles McDonald  
N. J. Damico  
Bryant O. Hammett, Jr.

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Robert J. Barham  
Robert Marionneaux, Jr.  
Robert Adley

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Barham asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Barham, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	McPherson
Adley	Fields	Michot
Amedee	Fontenot	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Cain	Hollis	Romero
Chaisson	Jackson	Schedler
Cheek	Jones	Smith
Cravins	Kostelka	Theunissen
Dardenne	Lentini	Ullo
Duplessis	Malone	
Dupre	Marionneaux	

Total - 37

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie  
Total - 2  
Shepherd

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Barham moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**Senator Fields in the Chair**

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
House Bill No. 475 By Representative Quezaire

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 475 by Representative Quezaire, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Dupre and adopted by the Senate on June 15, 2006, be rejected.

Representatives: Roy Quezaire, Jr.  
N. J. Damico  
Avon Honey

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.  
Joel T. Chaisson II  
Jody Amedee

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Dupre asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Dupre, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fields	Michot
Adley	Fontenot	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux B	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Boasso	Heitmeier	Quinn
Broome	Hollis	Romero
Chaisson	Jackson	Schedler
Cheek	Jones	Smith
Dardenne	Kostelka	Theunissen
Duplessis	Lentini	Uilo
Dupre	Malone	
Ellington	McPherson	

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Cravins	Shepherd
Cain	Marionneaux	

Total - 5

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Dupre moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
House Bill No. 658 By Representative Salter

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 658 by Representative Salter, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Malone and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2006, be rejected.
2. That the following amendments to the Engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "for the" and before "acceptance" insert "transfer of certain state property; to provide for the"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "Tourism" and the semicolon ";" and before "to provide" insert "to authorize and provide for the exchange and transfer between the state and a certain property owner of specified properties located in Jefferson Parish; to provide for the donation of certain property located in Jefferson Parish from the state to Jefferson Parish;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 2 and 3, insert the following:

"Section 4.(A) The secretary of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism and the commissioner of administration, notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, are hereby authorized and empowered to enter into exchanges and transfers of any interest, excluding all mineral rights, that the state may have to the following described parcel of property in Jefferson Parish to TCW/Firewall Venture I, LLC:

A certain tract or parcel of land containing 10.151 Acres Owned by the State of Louisiana, situated near Tract G-3-F of Segnette Park and west of Bayou Segnette Boulevard, being located in Sections 29 & 35, Township 13 South, Range 23 East, Southeast District of Louisiana, West of the Mississippi River, Jefferson Parish, State of Louisiana and being more fully described as follows:

Beginning at a point being the intersection of the southerly right of way line of West Bank Expressway - U.S. Highway No. 90 and the westerly right of way line of Bayou Segnette Boulevard, said point being the "POINT OF COMMENCEMENT,"

Then, continuing along the westerly right of way line of Bayou Segnette Boulevard, South 32 degrees 45 minutes 16 seconds West a distance of 240.00 feet to a point; Then, South 22 degrees 13 minutes 44 seconds West a distance of 50.86 feet to a point; Then, South 26 degrees 32 minutes 07 seconds West a distance of 560.00 feet to a point; Then, along a curve to the left having a delta of 28 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds, a radius of 1,475.00 feet, an arc length of 720.82 feet, a chord bearing of South 12 degrees 32 minutes 07 seconds West and a chord distance of 713.67 feet to a point; Then, South 01 degrees 27 minutes 53 seconds East a distance of 100.00 feet to a point, said point being the "POINT OF BEGINNING,"

Then, South 01 degrees 27 minutes 53 seconds East a distance of 654.50 feet to a point; Then, along a curve to the right having a delta of 32 degrees 22 minutes 00 seconds, a radius of 1,354.63 feet, an arc length of 765.24 feet, a chord bearing of South 14 degrees 43 minutes 07 seconds West and a chord distance of 755.10 feet to a point; Then, departing said right of way line, North 03 degrees 05 minutes 53 seconds West a distance of 530.00 feet to a point; Then, North 53 degrees 05 minutes 53 seconds West a distance of 757.14 feet to a point; Then, North 03 degrees 05 minutes 53 seconds West a distance of 200.00 feet to a point; Then, North 65 degrees 32 minutes 07 seconds East a distance of 207.02 feet to a point; Then, South 59 degrees 27 minutes 53 seconds East a distance of 550.00 feet to a point; Then, North 30 degrees 32 minutes 07 seconds East a distance of 195.00 feet to a point; Then, along a curve to the left having a delta of 32 degrees 00 minutes 03 seconds, a radius of 425.00 feet, an arc length of 237.37 feet, a chord bearing of North 14 degrees 32 minutes 08 seconds East and a chord distance of 234.30 feet to the "POINT OF BEGINNING".

(B) In return, TCW/Firewall Venture I, LLC shall exchange and transfer any interest it owns, excluding all mineral rights, to the following described parcel of property in Jefferson Parish to the State

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of Louisiana:

A certain tract or parcel of land containing 10.151 Acres being a portion of Tract G-3-F, of Segnette Park, being located in Sections 29 & 35, Township 13 South, Range 23 East and Section 18, Township 14 South, Range 23 East, Southeast District of Louisiana, West of the Mississippi River, Jefferson Parish, State of Louisiana and being more fully described as follows:

Beginning at a point being the intersection of the southerly right of way line of West Bank Expressway - U.S. Highway No. 90 and the westerly right of way line of Bayou Segnette Boulevard, said point being the "POINT OF COMMENCEMENT,"

Then, continuing along the westerly right of way line of Bayou Segnette Boulevard, South 32 degrees 45 minutes 16 seconds West a distance of 240.00 feet to a point; Then, South 22 degrees 13 minutes 44 seconds West a distance of 50.86 feet to a point; Then, South 26 degrees 32 minutes 07 seconds West a distance of 560.00 feet to a point; Then, along a curve to the left having a delta of 28 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds, a radius of 1,475.00 feet, an arc length of 720.82 feet, a chord bearing of South 12 degrees 32 minutes 07 seconds West and a chord distance of 713.67 feet to a point; Then, South 01 degrees 27 minutes 53 seconds East a distance of 754.50 feet to a point; Then, along a curve to the right having a delta of 32 degrees 22 minutes 00 seconds, a radius of 1,354.63 feet, an arc length of 765.24 feet, a chord bearing of South 14 degrees 43 minutes 07 seconds West and a chord distance of 755.10 feet to a point; Then, South 30 degrees 54 minutes 07 seconds West a distance of 35.14 feet to a point, said point being the "POINT OF BEGINNING",

Then, South 30 degrees 54 minutes 07 seconds West a distance of 407.57 feet to a point, said point being the intersection of the westerly right of way line of Bayou Segnette Boulevard and the northerly line of a 190' Drainage Easement; Then, continuing along the northerly servitude line, North 89 degrees 28 minutes 05 seconds West a distance of 623.69 feet to a point; Then, departing said right of way line, North 03 degrees 05 minutes 53 seconds West a distance of 782.08 feet to a point; Then, South 63 degrees 28 minutes 00 seconds East a distance of 978.29 feet to the "POINT OF BEGINNING."

(C) The secretary of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism, or his designated representative, on behalf of the state of Louisiana, is authorized to negotiate the terms and conditions of the exchange and transfer and to execute such documents, to enter into such agreements, covenants, conditions, and stipulations and to perform such other acts as are necessary to properly effectuate any sale, conveyance, transfer, assignment, and delivery of title, to the property described in Paragraphs (A) and (B) of this Section 4, and as more specifically described in any such agreements entered into and documents executed by and between the secretary of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism and TCW/Firewall Venture I, LLC.

(D) The secretary of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism, notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, is hereby authorized to donate and transfer any interest that the state may have to the property acquired from TCW/Firewall Venture I, LLC and described in Paragraph (B) hereof, to Jefferson Parish for the purposes of tourism promotion and economic development which purposes shall be for the benefit of both the state and the parish. In connection with the said donation to Jefferson Parish, the secretary of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism, or his designated representative, on behalf of the state of Louisiana, is authorized to negotiate the terms and conditions of the donation and to execute such documents, to enter into such agreements, covenants, conditions, and stipulations and to perform such other acts as are necessary to properly effectuate said donation, conveyance, transfer, assignment, and delivery of title, to the property described in Paragraph (B) herein."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 3, change "Section 4" to "Section 5"

Representatives:
Joe R. Salter
Wilfred Pierre
John A. Alario, Jr.

Respectfully submitted,
Senators:
Francis C. Heitmeier
Donald E. Hines
Joe McPherson

Rules Suspended

Senator Hines asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Hines, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Michot
Adley Fields Mount
Amedee Gautreaux B Murray
Barham Gautreaux N Nevers
Boasso Heitmeier Quinn
Broome Hollis Romero
Chaisson Jackson Schedler
Cheek Jones Theunissen
Dardenne Kostelka Ullo
Duplessis Lentini
Dupre McPherson
Total - 31

NAYS

Fontenot Malone
Total - 2

ABSENT

Bajoie Cravins Shepherd
Cain Marionneaux Smith
Total - 6

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 1229 By Representative Baudoin

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1229 by Representative Baudoin, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senator Barham and adopted by the Senate on June 6, 2006, be adopted.
2. That Senate Floor Amendments No. 2 and 3 proposed by Senator Barham and adopted by the Senate on June 6, 2006, be rejected.
3. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 12 and 13 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"is either a non-portable, freestanding structure or a stand that uses nails, screws, spikes, or other means to attach to a tree and which is not designed to be hand carried by one person nor to be removed daily. Any permanent stand may be removed and destroyed."

Representatives:  
Clara G. Baudoin  
Wilfred Pierre  
Kenneth L. Odinet

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Mike Michot  
Robert J. Barham  
Max T. Malone

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Michot asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Michot, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Michot
Adley	Fields	Mout
Amedee	Fontenot	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Quinn
Broome	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hollis	Schedler
Chaisson	Jackson	Smith
Cheek	Jones	Theunissen
Dardenne	Kostelka	Ullo
Duplessis	Malone	
Dupre	McPherson	
Total - 34		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Lentini	Shepherd
Cravins	Marionneaux	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Michot moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
House Bill No. 204 By Representative Hunter

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 204 by Representative Hunter, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Cheek and adopted by the Senate on June 15, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

In Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 proposed by Senator Cheek and adopted by the Senate on June 15, 2006, on page 1, line 16, after "rate," insert "(3) The department shall promulgate rules and regulations necessary for the implementation of the provisions in this Section, including but not limited to the establishment of procedures and criteria for reimbursement."

Representatives:  
Sydney Mae Durand  
Willie Hunter, Jr.  
Elcie J. Guillory

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Joe McPherson  
Sherri Smith Cheek  
Donald E. Hines

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Cheek asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Cheek, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dupre	McPherson
Adley	Ellington	Michot
Amedee	Fields	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Quinn
Broome	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hollis	Schedler
Chaisson	Jackson	Smith
Cheek	Jones	Theunissen
Dardenne	Lentini	Ullo
Duplessis	Malone	
Total - 32		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Kostelka	Shepherd
Cravins	Marionneaux	
Fontenot	Mount	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Cheek moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
House Bill No. 707 By Representative Farrar

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 707 by Representative Farrar, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 and 18 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on June 7, 2006, be adopted.
2. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 5 through 17 proposed by the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on June 7, 2006, be rejected.
3. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Senator McPherson and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
4. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 3 and 4 proposed by

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Senator McPherson and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be rejected.

5. That the following amendment to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 17 through 28, and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 10, and insert the following:

(G)(1) Except for leases or operation agreements for port facilities, highways, qualified transportation facilities or airports, the state or its political subdivisions shall not sell or lease property which has been expropriated and held for not more than thirty years without first offering the property to the original owner or his heir, or, if there is no heir, to the successor in title to the owner at the time of expropriation at the current fair market value, after which the property can only be transferred by competitive bid open to the general public. After thirty years have passed from the date the property was expropriated, the state or political subdivision may sell or otherwise transfer the property as provided by law.

(2) Within one year after the completion of the project for which the property was expropriated, the state or its political subdivision which expropriated the property shall identify all property which is not necessary for the public purpose of the project and declare the property as surplus property.

(3) All expropriated property identified as surplus property shall be offered for sale to the original owner or his heir, or, if there is no heir, to the successor in title to the owner at the time of expropriation at the current fair market value, within two years after completion of the project. If the original owner, heir, or other successor in title refuses or fails to purchase the surplus property within three years from completion of the project, then the surplus property may be offered for sale to the general public by competitive bid.

(4) After one year from the completion of the project for which property was expropriated, the original owner or his heir, or, if there is no heir, the successor in title to the owner at the time of expropriation may petition the state or its political subdivision which expropriated the property to have all or any portion of his property declared surplus. If the state or its political subdivision refuses or fails to identify all or any portion of the expropriated property as surplus, the original owner or the successor in title may petition any court of competent jurisdiction to have the property declared surplus."

Representatives: Rick Farrar Glenn Ansardi T. Taylor Townsend

Respectfully submitted, Senators: Joe McPherson Arthur J. "Art" Lentini Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.

Rules Suspended

Senator McPherson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator McPherson, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Position, and Name. Includes Mr. President, Adley, Amedee, Barham, Cain, Chaisson, Cheek, Dardenne, Duplessis, Dupre, Fields, Fontenot, Gautreaux B, Gautreaux N, Heitmeier, Hollis, Jackson, Jones, Kostelka, Lentini, McPherson, Michot, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Quinn, Romero, Schedler, Smith, Theunissen.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Name, Name. Includes Ellington Total - 33, Malone, Ullo, Boasso Total - 2, Marionneaux, Bajeio, Broome Total - 4, Cravins, Shepherd.

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator McPherson moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 1204 By Representative Quezaire

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1204 by Representative Quezaire, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Transportation, Highways and Public Works Committee and adopted by the Senate on May 30, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the set of Legislative Bureau Amendments proposed by the Legislative Bureau and adopted by the Senate on May 31, 2006, be adopted.
3. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Ellington and adopted by the Senate on June 6, 2006, be rejected.
4. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 2, after "To" insert "amend and reenact R.S. 32:389(C)(3), to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 12, after "Section 1." insert "R.S. 32:389(C)(3) is hereby amended and reenacted and"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following: "§389. Weights and standards police; enforcement procedure; payment and collection procedures; administrative review

C. \* \* \*

(3)(a) Upon passage of sixty days without receipt of payment of the penalty or receipt of a request for an agency review by a driver who is a resident of Louisiana or who has a domicile in Louisiana, the Department of Transportation and Development may order that the driver's license of the operator of the vehicle issued the violation ticket be suspended or renewal or reissuance of the driver's license be denied, or both. Upon receipt of the payment of the penalty, the Department of Transportation and Development shall direct that the driver's license of the operator of the vehicle be reinstated. If a driver of a motor vehicle who is a resident of Louisiana or who has a domicile in Louisiana is determined to be the responsible party for the violation ticket by the Department of Transportation and

Development or the office of state police, the driver shall be responsible for the payment of all fines and fees associated with issuance of the violation ticket. If the department or the office of state police fails to receive payment of the violation ticket within sixty calendar days of issuance of the violation ticket or within sixty calendar days of receiving a notice of final judgment from the agency or administrative review, the department or the office of state police shall transmit the driver's license number to the office of motor vehicles. Upon receipt of the driver's license number, the office of motor vehicles shall immediately notify the driver, by first class mail, that his driver's license shall be suspended thirty calendar days after the date of mailing the notice unless all fines and fees associated with the violation ticket are paid in full together with notice of the imposition of a fifty-dollar fee by the office of motor vehicles to cover its administrative costs. Upon payment of all fines and fees associated with the violation ticket, the office of motor vehicles shall immediately authorize the reinstatement of the driver's license.

(b) If a motor carrier is determined by the Department of Transportation and Development or the office of state police to be the responsible party for a violation ticket, and if such party fails to pay the assessed penalty within sixty calendar days of receiving the violation ticket or within sixty calendar days of receiving a notice of final judgment from the agency or administrative review, the department or the office of state police shall transmit the vehicle identification number of the offending vehicle for which the violation ticket was issued to the office of motor vehicles. The office of motor vehicles shall not renew the registration of the offending vehicle until all fines and fees associated with the violation ticket are paid in full. Upon payment of all fines and fees associated with the violation ticket, the office of motor vehicles shall immediately authorize renewal of the vehicle's registration. The Department of Transportation and Development and the office of state police shall adopt rules and regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, subject to oversight by the House and Senate Committees on Transportation, Highways and Public Works, as are necessary to implement the provisions of this Subparagraph.

(c) The Department of Transportation and Development and the office of state police shall be prohibited from seizing the registration license plate of a motor vehicle for failing to pay a fine for a violation ticket.

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Representatives: Roy Quezaire, Jr. Karen St. Germain Dale Erdey  
Respectfully submitted, Senators: Noble E. Ellington Jody Amedee Walter Boasso

Rules Suspended

Senator Ellington asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Ellington, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Adley Amedee Barham Boasso Broome Chaisson Dardenne Duplessis Dupre Ellington  
Fields Fontenot Gautreaux B Gautreaux N Heitmeier Hollis Jackson Jones Kostelka Lentini Marionneaux  
McPherson Michot Mount Murray Nevers Quinn Romero Schedler Smith Theunissen Ullo

Total - 33

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bajoie Cheek Malone  
Cain Cravins Shepherd  
Total - 6

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
House Bill No. 999 By Representative Hunter

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 999 by Representative Hunter, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 3 proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on May 23, 2006, be adopted.
2. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 2 proposed by Senator Jackson and adopted by the Senate on June 14, 2006, be adopted.
3. That the following amendment to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 12, change "four" to "five"

Representatives: Willie Hunter, Jr. Bryant O. Hammett, Jr. Cedric Richmond  
Respectfully submitted, Senators: Lydia P. Jackson Sherri Smith Cheek Michael J. Michot

Rules Suspended

Senator Jackson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Jackson, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Amedee Barham Boasso Broome Cain Chaisson Cheek Dardenne Duplessis  
Dupre Ellington Fields Fontenot Gautreaux B Gautreaux N Heitmeier Hollis Jackson Jones  
Kostelka Lentini McPherson Murray Nevers Romero Smith Theunissen Ullo

Total - 29

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NAYS

Quinn  
Total - 2

Schedler

ABSENT

Adley  
Bajoie  
Cravins  
Total - 8

Malone  
Marionneau  
Michot

Mount  
Shepherd

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Jackson moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
House Bill No. 767 By Representative Alario

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 767 by Representative Alario, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That the Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Heitmeier and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
3. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senators Adley and Marionneau and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
4. That the following amendments be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senators Adley and Marionneau and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, on page 1, line 5, after "fund at the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "end of the 2006-2007 Fiscal Year, fifty"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senators Adley and Marionneau and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, on page 1, at the end of line 12, after "2005" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and "provided that such offset or payment shall be for the purpose of the reduction or elimination of any emergency assessment"

Respectfully submitted,
Senators:
Donald E. Hines
Francis C. Heitmeier
Robert Adley

Representatives:
John A. Alario, Jr.
Joe R. Salter
Willie Hunter, Jr.

Rules Suspended

Senator Heitmeier asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Heitmeier, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President
Adley
Amedee
Barham
Broome
Cain
Chaisson
Cheek
Dardenne
Duplessis
Total - 30

Dupre
Ellington
Fields
Gautreaux B
Gautreaux N
Heitmeier
Hollis
Jackson
Jones
Kostelka

Marionneau
McPherson
Michot
Murray
Nevers
Quinn
Romero
Smith
Theunissen
Ullo

NAYS

Boasso
Lentini
Total - 4

Mount
Schedler

ABSENT

Bajoie
Cravins
Total - 5

Fontenot
Malone

Shepherd

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Heitmeier moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT  
House Bill No. 1208 By Representative Alario

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1208 by Representative Alario, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That the Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Finance and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Heitmeier and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
3. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator N. Gautreaux and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
4. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senators Adley, Marionneau, Cain, and N. Gautreaux and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
5. That the Senate Floor Amendment proposed by Senator Jones and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
6. That the following amendments be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senators Adley, Marionneau, Cain, and N. Gautreaux and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, on page 1, at the end of line 4, delete "conclusion" and delete line 5 in its entirety and insert "end of the 2006-2007 Fiscal

Year, fifty million dollars, or so much"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

In Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Senators Adley, Marionneaux, Cain, and N. Gautreaux and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, on page 1, at the end of line 11, after "2005" and before the period "." insert a comma "," and "provided that such offset or payment shall be for the purpose of the reduction or elimination of any emergency assessment"

Representatives:  
John A. Alario, Jr.  
Joe R. Salter  
Willie Hunter, Jr.

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Donald E. Hines  
Francis C. Heitmeier  
Robert Adley

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Heitmeier asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Heitmeier, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fields	Michot
Amedee	Fontenot	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Broome	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Cain	Heitmeier	Quinn
Chaisson	Hollis	Romero
Cheek	Jackson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Duplessis	Lentini	Ullo
Dupre	Marionneaux	
Ellington	McPherson	
Total - 31		

**NAYS**

Boasso  
Total - 1

**ABSENT**

Adley	Kostelka	Shepherd
Bajoie	Malone	
Cravins	Schedler	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Heitmeier moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**Mr. President in the Chair**

**Motion to Consider**

Senator B. Gautreaux moved the adoption of a motion to allow the Senate to consider House Bill No. 184 on Third Reading and Final Passage, Subject to Call, after 6:00 p. m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day, pursuant to the consent of the House.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Marionneaux
Adley	Fields	McPherson

Amedee	Fontenot	Michot
Barham	Gautreaux B	Mount
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Murray
Broome	Heitmeier	Nevers
Cain	Hollis	Quinn
Chaisson	Jackson	Romero
Cheek	Jones	Schedler
Dardenne	Kostelka	Smith
Duplessis	Lentini	Theunissen
Dupre	Malone	Ullo

Total - 36

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Cravins	Shepherd
Total - 3		

The Chair declared that the motion to allow the Senate to consider House Bill No. 184 after 6:00 p. m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day was adopted and the bill may be considered pursuant to the consent of the House.

**Motion to Consider**

Senator Jones moved the adoption of a motion to allow the Senate to consider House Bill No. 374 on Third Reading and Final Passage, Subject to Call, after 6:00 p. m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day, pursuant to the consent of the House.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	McPherson
Adley	Fields	Michot
Amedee	Fontenot	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Romero
Cain	Hollis	Schedler
Chaisson	Jackson	Shepherd
Cheek	Jones	Smith
Cravins	Kostelka	Theunissen
Dardenne	Lentini	Ullo
Duplessis	Malone	
Dupre	Marionneaux	
Total - 37		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Quinn
Total - 2	

The Chair declared that the motion to allow the Senate to consider House Bill No. 374 after 6:00 p. m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day was adopted and the bill may be considered pursuant to the consent of the House.

**Recess**

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the Senate took a recess until 1:30 o'clock P.M.

**After Recess**

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock P.M. by the President of the Senate.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

**PRESENT**

Mr. President	Dupre	Marionneaux
Adley	Ellington	McPherson
Amedee	Fields	Michot
Bajoie	Fontenot	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Cain	Hollis	Romero
Chaisson	Jackson	Schedler
Cheek	Jones	Shepherd
Cravins	Kostelka	Smith
Dardenne	Lentini	Theunissen
Duplessis	Malone	Ullo

Total - 39

**ABSENT**

Total - 0

The President of the Senate announced there were 39 Senators present and a quorum.

**Senate Business Resumed**

**Appointment of Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1130**

The President of the Senate appointed on the Conference Committee on House Bill No. 1130 the following members of the Senate: Senators Schedler, Fontenot and Adley.

**Messages from the House**

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

**Message from the House**

**RECOMMIT TO CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has recommitted House Bill No. 439 to Conference.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 269.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 49.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 58.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1281.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1307.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 240.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 675.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 475.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 479.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 624.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 658.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 454.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 226.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of

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Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 482.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 749.

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Senator Jones in the Chair

Senate Concurrent Resolutions
Returned from the House of
Representatives with Amendments

Senator McPherson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions just returned from the House of Representatives with amendments.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 128—
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt Joint Rule No. 19 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and the House of Representatives, relative to time limitations in the consideration of the General Appropriations Bill; to provide for periods of deliberation regarding such bill in the Senate; and to provide for related matters.

On motion of Senator McPherson, the resolution was read by title and returned to the Calendar, subject to call.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 131—
BY SENATOR QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To establish the Property Insurance Task Force to study property insurance issues; to provide for the membership of the task force; and to provide that the task force report its findings to the legislature, with any recommendations for legislation, prior to the next regular session.

The resolution was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with the following amendments:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Johns to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 131 by Senator Quinn

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 3 and insert the following:

"request the Senate Committee on Insurance and the House Committee on Insurance to meet and function as a joint committee to study property insurance issues including but not limited to the current and future availability and affordability of property insurance for the citizens of Louisiana and the problems involving claim adjustments and coverages for damages resulting from Hurricane Katrina and Hurricane Rita and to report"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 2, after "Louisiana" delete the remainder of the line, and at the beginning of line 3, delete "the Property Insurance Task Force" and insert "does hereby request the Senate Committee on Insurance and the House Committee on Insurance to meet and function as a joint committee"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 7, after "that the" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 8 through 30 and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 9 and insert the following:

- "joint committee shall specifically solicit the input, recommendations, and advice of the following:
(1) One person who is a practicing attorney designated by the president of the Louisiana State Bar Association.
(2) One person who is a practicing attorney designated by the president of the Louisiana Trial Lawyers Association, Inc.
(3) One person designated by the president of the Louisiana Bankers Association.
(4) One person designated by the chief executive officer of the Louisiana Realtors Association, Inc.
(5) One person designated by the president of the Louisiana Association of Business and Industry.
(6) Two persons who are insurance agents engaged in the business of selling property insurance: one person to be designated by the president of the Senate and one person to be designated by the speaker of the House of Representatives.
(7) Two persons representing property insurers providing property insurance in this state: one person to be designated by the president of the Senate and one person to be designated by the speaker of the House of Representatives.
(8) Two persons who are recognized civic leaders in the state at-large: one person to be designated by the president of the Senate and one person to be designated by the speaker of the House of Representatives.
(9) One person representing a reinsurance company and one person representing a reinsurance intermediary; one of whom shall be designated by the president of the Senate and one of whom shall be designated by the speaker of the House of Representatives.
(10) Two persons from two different insurance companies representing the top three insurance companies writing homeowners insurance in Louisiana as determined by written homeowner premiums; one person shall be designated by the president of the Senate and one person shall be designated by the speaker of the House of Representatives.
(11) One person designated by the president of the Property Casualty Insurers Association of America."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 10, change "task force" to "joint committee"

Senator Quinn moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, and another column. Includes Mr. President, Dupre, Mount, Adley, Fontenot, Murray, Amedee, Gautreaux B, Nevers, Barham, Hollis, Quinn, Boasso, Jackson, Romero, Broome, Jones, Schedler, Cain, Kostelka, Shepherd, Chaisson, Lentini, Smith, Cheek, Malone, Theunissen, Cravins, Marionneaux, Ullo, Dardenne, McPherson, Duplessis, Michot, Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Bajoie	Fields	Heitmeier
Ellington	Gautreaux N	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the amendments proposed by the House were concurred in. Senator Quinn moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were concurred in and laid the motion on the table.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 137—**

BY SENATOR HINES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt Paragraphs F and I of Joint Rule No. 5 of Joint Rules of Order of the Senate and the House of Representatives, relative to duplicate bills to limit the application of the duplicate bill rule to identical local bills.

The resolution was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with the following amendments:

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Alario to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 137 by Senator Hines

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "amend and readopt Paragraphs F and I of Joint Rule No. 5" and insert "repeal Joint Rules No. 5, 7, 9, 11, and 17"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "Representatives;" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 4 and insert "to remove provisions relative to duplicate bills; to remove a prohibition on legislative committee meetings being held during a specified annual orientation conference; to remove provisions relative to certain certificates; to remove certain provisions relative to time limitations on the passage of the capital outlay bill; and to remove provisions relative to symbolic notes."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 5, after "hereby" delete the remainder of the line and on line 6, delete "Paragraphs F and I of Joint Rule No. 5" and insert "repeals Joint Rules No. 5, 7, 9, 11, and 17"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 7, after "Representatives" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 8 through 17, and delete page 2, and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 10 and insert a period "."

Senator Hines moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	Michot
Adley	Ellington	Mount
Amedee	Fontenot	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Boasso	Hollis	Quinn
Broome	Jackson	Romero
Cain	Jones	Schedler
Chaisson	Kostelka	Smith
Cheek	Lentini	Theunissen
Cravins	Malone	Ullo
Dardenne	Marionneaux	

Duplessis	McPherson	
Total - 34		
NAYS		
Total - 0		
ABSENT		
Bajoie	Gautreaux N	Shepherd
Fields	Heitmeier	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the amendments proposed by the House were concurred in. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were concurred in and laid the motion on the table.

**Mr. President in the Chair**

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions Returned from the House of Representatives with Amendments**

Senator Schedler asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules to take up at this time the following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions just returned from the House of Representatives with amendments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 545—**

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.26(D) and 322.37, relative to the disposition of certain collections from the sales of services; to provide with respect to the disposition of the avails of the tax on the sales of services in St. Tammany Parish; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with the following amendments:

**LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 545 by Senator Schedler

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 13, change "proposes" to "purposes"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 4, change "**Item**" to "**Subparagraph**"

**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Hebert to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 545 by Senator Schedler

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "47:302.26(D)" to "47:302.23(B), 302.26(D),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 4, after "services in" delete the remainder of the line and insert "Vermilion Parish and St. Tammany Parish; to provide for effectiveness provisions; and to provide"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:  
"Section 2. R.S. 47:302.23(B) is hereby amended and enacted to read as follows:

§302.23. Disposition of certain collections in Vermilion Parish  
\* \* \*

B.(1)(a) The monies in the Vermilion Parish Visitor Enterprise Fund shall be subject to annual appropriation by the legislature and for Fiscal Years ~~1998-1999~~ 2006-2007 through 2009-2010 shall be allocated to the Erath Acadian Museum, the Kaplan Museum, the

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Gueydan Museum, Le Bayou Legendire Cultural Center, Les Chretiens, Inc., Acadian Center Acadien, and the Abbeville Cultural and Historical Alliance, and the Louisiana Military Hall of Fame and Museum such that each entity receives an equal share of the monies, in the amount of ten thousand dollars for each entity. In the event monies in the fund are not sufficient to fully fund the allocations as provided in this Paragraph, each entity shall receive a pro rata share of the amount available. In the event that any entity above ceases to exist, any unexpended and unencumbered monies allocated to that entity shall be distributed equally among the remaining entities.

(b) After each entity receives the ten thousand dollar allocation, any monies remaining in the fund shall be distributed to the Louisiana Military Hall of Fame and Museum.

(2) For Fiscal Year 2010-2011 and thereafter, the monies in the fund shall be available exclusively for planning, development, or capital improvements at sites in Vermilion Parish.

(3) All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund shall remain in the fund. The monies in the fund shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as the monies in the state general fund, and all interest earned shall be deposited in the state general fund.

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AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, delete line 16, and insert "Section 3. Sections 1 and 3 of this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2006; if vetoed by the governor"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, at the end of line 18, insert the following: "Section 2 of this Act shall become effective in the event that the Act which originated as Senate Bill No. 601 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law."

Senator Schedler moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, NAYS. Lists names like Mr. President, Adley, Amedee, Barham, Boasso, Broome, Cain, Chaisson, Cheek, Dardenne, Duplessis, Dupre, Ellington, Fontenot, Gautreaux B, Gautreaux N, Heitmeier, Hollis, Jackson, Jones, Kostelka, Lentini, Malone, Marionneaux, McPherson, Michot, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Quinn, Romero, Schedler, Smith, Theunissen, Ullo.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, ABSENT. Lists names: Bajoie, Cravins, Fields, Shepherd.

The Chair declared the amendments proposed by the House were concurred in. Senator Schedler moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were concurred in and laid the motion on the table.

SENATE BILL NO. 624—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:2(21) and (22), 52(D) and (H)(2)(b), 53(B)(1) and (2), (F), (G)(1), (J)(1) and (2), (K)(1)(a) and (c), and (O)(2), 53.2(A)(5) and (C), 55(I)(1)(a) and (c), 63(A)(1) and (B), 94(B)(2), 96.1(A), (E), and (F), 141, 171(D)(3), (5) and (8), (F), (G), (N) and (P), relative to mental health; to provide for duties and responsibilities of physicians, psychiatrists, and psychologists; to add duties and responsibilities of nurse practitioners and psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners; and to provide for related matters.

The bill was read by title. Returned from the House of Representatives with the following amendments:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 624 by Senator McPherson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 8 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"To amend and reenact R.S. 28:2(21) and (22)(b), 52(D) and (H)(2)(b), 53(B)(1), 53(B)(2)(a) and (b), (F), (G)(1)(d), (K)(1)(a) and (c), and (O)(2), 53.2(C), 55(I)(1)(a) and (c), 63(A)(1) and (B), 96.1(A), (E) and (F), 171(D)(3), (5) and (8), (G), (N), and (P) and to enact R.S. 28:2(30), (31), and (32), and 51.1, relative to mental health; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of physicians, psychologists, medical psychologists, and psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners, and primary care providers; to provide for definitions; to provide for staff membership or certain institutional privileges of medical psychologists and psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners in a treatment facility; to add duties and responsibilities of medical psychologists, psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners, and primary care providers; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 10 through 13 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 28:2(21) and (22)(b), 52(D) and (H)(2)(b), 53(B)(1), 53(B)(2)(a) and (b), (F), (G)(1)(d), (K)(1)(a) and (c), and (O)(2), 53.2(C), 55(I)(1)(a) and (c), 63(A)(1) and (B), 96.1(A), (E) and (F), 171(D)(3), (5) and (8), (G), (N), and (P) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 28:2(30), (31), and (32), and 51.1 are hereby enacted to read as follows:"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete line 1 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(21) Physician means a person permitted to practice and an individual licensed to practice medicine by the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners in active"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 2, change "as a physician under the laws of Louisiana or a person" to "as a physician under the laws of Louisiana or a person or an individual"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 6 through 18 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 19, after "(22)" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof a line of asterisks "\*\*\*\*"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 20 through 29 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, delete lines 1 through 8 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, line 9 change "~~(b)(c)~~" to "(b)" and change "a person" to "a person an individual"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, delete lines 13 through 17 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, between lines 18 and 19 insert the following:

"(30) "Medical psychologist" means a psychologist who has undergone specialized training in clinical psychopharmacology and has passed a national proficiency examination in psychopharmacology approved by the State Board of Examiners of Psychologists and who holds from the board a current certificate of responsibility, as defined in R.S. 37:2371(2). For the purposes of this Chapter a medical psychologist shall have at least three years training, primary experience, or both, in diagnosis and treatment of mental illness.

(31) "Primary care provider" means the principal, treating health care professional, excluding a physician, rendering general health care services to a person including but not limited to a psychologist, medical psychologist, nurse practitioner or any other advanced practice registered nurse.

(32) "Psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner" means an advanced practice registered nurse licenced to practice as a nurse practitioner or clinical nurse specialist by the Louisiana State Board of Nursing, in accordance with the provisions of R.S. 37:911, et seq., who focuses clinical practice on individuals, families, or populations across the life span at risk for developing or having a diagnosis of psychiatric disorders, mental health problems, or both. A psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner means a specialist who provides primary mental health care to patients seeking mental health services in a wide range of settings. Primary mental health care provided by a psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner involves the continuous and comprehensive services necessary for the promotion of optimal mental health, prevention and treatment of psychiatric disorders, and health maintenance. Such primary health care includes the assessment, diagnosis, and management of mental health problems and psychiatric disorders. A psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner means a provider of direct mental health care services who synthesizes theoretical, scientific, and clinical knowledge for the assessment and management of both health and illness states and who is licensed to practice as a nurse practitioner in Louisiana, in accordance with R.S. 37:911, et seq. For purposes of this Chapter, a psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner shall have at least two years training, primary experience, or both, in diagnosis and treatment of mental illness. For purposes of this Chapter, a psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner shall also have authority from the Louisiana State Board of Nursing to prescribe legend and certain controlled drugs, in accordance with the provisions of R.S. 37:913(3)(b), (8), and (9).

§51.1. Treatment facility; staff membership and institutional privileges; certain health care providers

A. (1) Notwithstanding any provision of the law to the contrary, the governing body of a treatment facility, as defined in R.S. 28:2(29), may grant staff membership, specifically delineated institutional privileges, or both, to any duly licensed, certified or registered health care provider, including but not limited to a physician, psychiatrist, psychologist, medical psychologist or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner, as defined in R.S. 28:2.

(2) Staff membership, specifically delineated institutional privileges, or both, granted to a medical psychologist shall be conditioned upon all of the following requirements:

(a) The applicant medical psychologist shall have a valid, current, unrestricted certificate of prescriptive authority issued to him by the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists.

(b) The applicant medical psychologist shall prescribe medications in the treatment facility only in consultation, collaboration and concurrence with the patient's primary or

attending physician or psychiatrist and only in accordance with the treatment facility's staff membership or privilege granting process and restrictions, if any.

(c) The patient's primary or attending physician or psychiatrist shall have staff membership, institutional privileges, or both, at the treatment facility.

(3) Staff membership, specifically delineated institutional privileges, or both, granted to a psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner shall be conditioned upon all of the following requirements:

(a) The applicant psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner shall have a valid, current, collaborative practice agreement, as defined in R.S. 37:913(9), with a psychiatrist.

(b) The applicant psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner shall have a valid, current and unrestricted advanced practice registered nurse license, as a nurse practitioner or clinical nurse specialist, issued by the Louisiana State Board of Nursing, and have been granted limited prescriptive authority pursuant to LAC 46:XLV.4513.

(c) The applicant psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner's collaborating physician shall have staff membership, institutional privileges, or both, at the treatment facility.

(d) The applicant psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner shall prescribe medications or the use of seclusion or restraint on patients in the treatment facility only in accordance with the collaborative practice agreement and in accordance with the treatment facility's staff membership or privilege granting process and restrictions, if any.

B. Nothing in this Section shall be construed to require the governing body of a treatment facility to grant staff membership, specifically delineated institutional privileges, or both, to any applicant health care provider, provided that each such applicant is considered on an individual basis regarding his qualifications.

C. Nothing in this Section shall be construed to prohibit the governing body of a treatment facility from granting or denying staff membership, specifically delineated institutional privileges, or both, on the basis of individual character, competence, experience and judgment of the applicant health care provider seeking staff membership, or specifically delineated institutional privileges, or both, from requiring the character recommendation of not more than three members of the staff for which membership is sought as a prerequisite to consideration for staff membership or specifically delineated clinical privileges.

D. "Governing body" for purposes of this Section, means the group or the individual ultimately responsible for a treatment facility's general policies with respect to staff membership and professional clinical privileges and shall include but not be limited to a board of trustees, a board of directors, a board of governors, a board of managers, a medical board, a medical director or any other official of the treatment facility with comparable responsibilities."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, line 22, change "or physician or nurse practitioner" to "or physician, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 3, line 25, change "or nurse practitioner" to ", or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 4, lines 1, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 4, line 7, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 4, line 8, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 4, line 9, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 4, line 13, change "or nurse practitioner" to ", psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner,"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 4, line 17, change "or nurse practitioner" to ", psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner,"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 4, line 21, change "or nurse practitioner's" to ", psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner's,"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 4, line 24, change "or nurse practitioner" to ", psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner,"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 4, delete lines 28 and 29 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 5, delete lines 1 through 5 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 5, line 15, change "or nurse practitioner" to ", psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner,"

AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 5, line 27, change "or nurse practitioner" to ", psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner,"

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 6, delete lines 1 through 19 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 6, line 27, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 7, line 1, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 7, line 2, change "nurse" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 7, line 3, delete "practitioner"

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 7, line 4, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 7, line 7, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 7, line 13, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 7, line 14, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 7, line 15, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 7, line 19, change "or nurse practitioner" to ", psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner, medical psychologist,"

AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 7, delete lines 24 through 27 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 8, line 7, after "physician" delete "or nurse practitioner"

AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 8, line 8, after "psychiatrist" and before "or psychiatric" insert ", medical psychologist,"

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 8, line 22, change "treating nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 8, line 26, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 8, line 27, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 8, line 28, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 9, line 2, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 9, line 8, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 9, line 9, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 9, line 10, change "nurse practitioner" to "primary care provider"

AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 9, delete line 13 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A.(1) Any licensed physician, ~~or~~ psychologist, medical psychologist, psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner, or"

AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 9, line 24, change "The training has been" to "The Such training ~~has been~~ shall be"

AMENDMENT NO. 50

On page 9, line 28, after "physician" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

", or psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner who"

AMENDMENT NO. 51

On page 10, delete lines 5 through 11 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 52

On page 10, delete line 15 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"only on the certificate of either two physicians, or one physician and one psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner stating that the"

AMENDMENT NO. 53

On page 10, line 19, after "certificate of" and before "two" insert "either" and after "physicians" insert a comma " ,"

AMENDMENT NO. 54

On page 10, line 20, change "nurse practitioners" to "one"

physician and one psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner"

AMENDMENT NO. 55

On page 10, delete line 23 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"on the certificate of either two physicians, or one physician and one psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner and with the approval of"

AMENDMENT NO. 56

On page 10, delete lines 25 through 29 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof a line of asterisks "\*\*\*"

AMENDMENT NO. 57

On page 11, delete lines 1 through 9 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 58

On page 11, delete lines 13 and 14 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(3) A written order from a physician, ~~or a~~ psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner acting within the scope of his"

AMENDMENT NO. 59

On page 11, delete lines 16 and 17 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"however, no physician, ~~or~~ psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner is immediately available, a registered nurse who has been trained in"

AMENDMENT NO. 60

On page 11, line 19, after "physician" delete "or psychiatric"

AMENDMENT NO. 61

On page 11, delete line 20 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"~~or a~~, psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner with institutional authority to"

AMENDMENT NO. 62

On page 11, delete lines 23 and 24 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"tried or considered. The physician, ~~or~~ psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner may ~~then~~ issue a telephone order for seclusion or restraint, if such"

AMENDMENT NO. 63

On page 11, delete lines 28 and 29 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"issued by a physician, ~~or a~~ psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner with institutional authority to order seclusion or restraint after"

AMENDMENT NO. 64

On page 12, delete line 3 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"physician, or psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner with"

AMENDMENT NO. 65

On page 12, line 12, after "physician" insert a comma "," and delete "or psychiatric"

AMENDMENT NO. 66

On page 12, delete line 13 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"~~or~~ psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner with institutional authority to"

AMENDMENT NO. 67

On page 12, line 15, after "physician" insert a comma "," and delete "or"

AMENDMENT NO. 68

On page 12, delete line 16 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"~~or~~ psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner the patient shall be"

AMENDMENT NO. 69

On page 12, delete lines 19 through 28 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 70

On page 13, line 2, change "or a psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner" to ", medical psychologist, or a psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner"

AMENDMENT NO. 71

On page 13, line 11, after "physician" and before "or psychiatric" insert ", psychologist, medical psychologist,"

AMENDMENT NO. 72

On page 13, line 12, after "physician" and before "or" insert ", psychologist, medical psychologist,"

AMENDMENT NO. 73

On page 13, line 17, after "patient" and before "except" insert "pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter"

AMENDMENT NO. 74

On page 13, delete lines 18 and 19 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"a physician, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner. The physician, psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner"

#### LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 624 by Senator McPherson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 3 proposed by the House Committee on Health & Welfare on line 26, change "Physician" to ""Physician""

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In House Committee Amendment No. 11 proposed by the House Committee on Health & Welfare on line 16, change "certificate of responsibility" to "certificate of prescriptive authority"; and, on line 26, change "licenced" to "licensed"

#### HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Durand to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 624 by Senator McPherson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In House Committee Amendment No. 11 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 6, 2006, on page 2, delete lines 22 through 24 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"or psychiatrist, rendering mental health care services to a person including a psychologist, medical psychologist, or psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In House Committee Amendment No. 74 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 6, 2006, on page 9, line 28, after "physician," delete "psychologist,"

Senator McPherson moved to concur in the amendments proposed by the House.

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ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, Name. Includes Mr. President, Adley, Amedee, Barham, Boasso, Broome, Cain, Chaisson, Cheek, Cravins, Dardenne, Duplessis, Total - 35.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, Name. Includes Bajoie, Fields, Total - 4; Malone, Shepherd.

The Chair declared the amendments proposed by the House were concurred in. Senator McPherson moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments were concurred in and laid the motion on the table.

Reports of Committees, Resumed

The following reports of committees were received and read:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 81 by Senator Jones

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 81 by Senator Jones recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That the House Committee Amendment No. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 8, 2006 be accepted.
2. That House Floor Amendments No. 1 proposed by Representative Townsend and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 15, 2006 be rejected.
3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO.1

On page 2, line 8 after "or not." and before "The" insert the following:

"If the law enforcement officer or fire service personnel does not appear in person at the hearing, such law enforcement officer or fire service personnel shall not be entitled to the fee. However, if the officer is off duty at the time he appears as a witness in an administrative hearing via telephone, video conference or similar communication equipment, he shall receive the witness fee."

Senators: Charles D. Jones, Cleo Fields, Edwin R. Murray

Respectfully submitted, Representatives: Richard "Rick" Gallot, Jr., Charles D. Lancaster, Jr., T. Taylor Townsend

Rules Suspended

Senator Jones asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Jones, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Name, Name. Includes Mr. President, Adley, Amedee, Barham, Boasso, Broome, Cain, Chaisson, Cheek, Dardenne, Duplessis, Dupre, Total - 34; Ellington, Fontenot, Gautreaux B, Gautreaux N, Heitmeier, Hollis, Jackson, Jones, Kostelka, Lentini, Marionneaux, McPherson; Michot, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Quinn, Romero, Schedler, Smith, Theunissen, Ullo.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Name, Name. Includes Bajoie, Cravins, Total - 5; Fields, Malone; Shepherd.

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Jones moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 522 by Senator Cheek

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 522 by Senator Cheek recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That the House Floor Amendments No. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Hopkins and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 14, 2006 be adopted.

Respectfully submitted, Representatives: Roy Hopkins, Daniel R. Martiny, Ernest D. Wooton

Senators: Sherri Smith Cheek, Walter J. Boasso, Robert Marionneaux, Jr.

Rules Suspended

Senator Cheek asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Cheek, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Murray
Amedee	Heitmeier	Quinn
Chaisson	Jackson	Romero
Cheek	Jones	Schedler
Duplessis	Marionneau	
Dupre	Michot	
Total - 16		

**NAYS**

Adley	Dardenne	Mount
Barham	Fontenot	Nevers
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Smith
Broome	Kostelka	Theunissen
Cain	Lentini	
Total - 14		

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Gautreaux B	McPherson
Cravins	Hollis	Shepherd
Fields	Malone	Ullo
Total - 9		

The Chair declared the Senate failed to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

**Notice of Reconsideration**

Senator Cheek gave notice to reconsider the vote by which the motion to adopt the Conference Committee report failed to pass.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Senate Bill No. 482 by Senator McPherson

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 482 by Senator McPherson recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments No. 1, 2, 3, and 4 proposed by the House Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 23, 2006 be accepted.

Senators:  
 Joe McPherson  
 Sherri Smith Cheek  
 Lydia P. Jackson

Respectfully submitted,  
 Representatives:  
 Sydnie Mae Durand  
 Charles McDonald  
 John R. Smith

**Rules Suspended**

Senator McPherson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator McPherson, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dupre	Marionneau
Adley	Ellington	McPherson
Amedee	Fontenot	Michot
Barham	Gautreaux B	Mount
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Murray
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Cain	Hollis	Romero
Chaisson	Jackson	Schedler
Cheek	Jones	Smith
Dardenne	Lentini	Theunissen
Duplessis	Malone	Ullo
Total - 33		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Fields	Nevers
Cravins	Kostelka	Shepherd
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator McPherson moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Senate Bill No. 226 by Senator N. Gautreaux

June 19th, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 226 by Senator N. Gautreaux recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 6, 2006, be adopted.
2. That House Committee Amendment No. 2 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 6, 2006, be rejected.
3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 5 through 10 in their entirety and insert the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 13:2582(A) and 2583(A) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§2582. Justices of the peace; qualifications; election; term of office; nullity; persons ineligible

A.(1) Each justice of the peace shall be of good moral character, a qualified elector, a resident of the ward and district from which elected, and able to read and write the English language correctly. Each person qualifying for the office of justice of the peace shall possess a high school diploma or its equivalent as determined by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education by the date of qualification to run for office in the year 2008. Each shall possess such other qualifications as are provided by law.

(2)(a) Beginning in the year 2008, to qualify to run for the office of justice of the peace, a person shall not have attained the age of seventy years by the date of qualification to run for office. A justice of the peace who attains seventy years of age while serving a term of office shall be allowed to complete that term of office.

(b) The provisions of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph shall not apply to those justices of the peace who are serving as

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a justice of the peace or elected to the office of justice of the peace on or before August 15, 2006.

§2583. Constables; election; term of office; qualifications

A. (1) There shall be one constable for the court of each justice of the peace in the several parishes of the state, who shall be of good moral character, be able to read and write the English language, possess a high school diploma or its equivalent as determined by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, and be an elector and resident of the ward or district from which elected. However, the requirement of a high school diploma or its equivalent does not apply to any constable who was in office as a constable or elected to the office of constable on or before November 19, 1995, in terms of his qualification to remain in office or to seek reelection to a consecutive term. He shall possess such other qualifications as are provided by law.

(2)(a) Beginning in the year 2008, to qualify to run for the office of constable, a person shall not have attained the age of seventy years by the date of qualification to run for office. A constable who attains seventy years of age while serving a term of office shall be allowed to complete that term of office.

(b) The provisions of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph shall not apply to those constables who are serving as a constable or elected to the office of constable on or before August 15, 2006.

Section 2. R.S. 13:2583(D) is hereby repealed in its entirety."

Respectfully submitted,

Senators:  
Nick Gautreaux  
Joel T. Chaisson II  
Donald E. Hines

Representatives:  
Joseph F. Toomy  
Robert Fauchaux, Jr.  
Robert J. "Robby" Carter

**Rules Suspended**

Senator N. Gautreaux asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator N. Gautreaux, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Marionneaux
Adley	Fontenot	McPherson
Amedee	Gautreaux B	Michot
Barham	Gautreaux N	Mount
Boasso	Heitmeier	Murray
Broome	Hollis	Nevers
Cain	Jackson	Quinn
Chaisson	Jones	Romero
Cheek	Kostelka	Smith
Dardenne	Lentini	Theunissen
Dupre	Malone	Ullo
Total - 33		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Duplessis	Schedler
Cravins	Fields	Shepherd
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator N. Gautreaux moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
Senate Bill No. 612 by Senator Mount

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 612 by Senator Mount recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That all of the House Committee Amendments proposed by the House Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works and adopted by the House on June 7, 2006 be adopted.
2. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Johns and adopted by the House on June 14, 2006 be rejected.
3. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 3 and 4 proposed by Representative Johns and adopted by the House on June 14, 2006 be adopted.
4. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before "enact" insert "amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 895.1(F)(introductory paragraph) and (4) and R.S. 15:542(B)(2)(a) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "System;" and before "and" insert "to provide for notice provided by sex offenders to be published in newspapers in addition to the official journal of the parish; to increase certain fees payable to the Sex Offender Registry Technology Fund as a condition of probation for persons convicted of sex offenses; to provide for appropriations from the fund and specifies uses thereof;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 4, after line 24, insert the following:

"Section 4. Code of Criminal Procedure Article 895.1(F)(introductory paragraph) and (4) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Art. 895.1. Probation; restitution; judgment for restitution; fees

F. When the court places the defendant on supervised probation, it shall order as a condition of probation the payment of a monthly fee of not less than five dollars **and fifty cents**. The monthly fee established in this Paragraph shall be in addition to the fee established in Paragraph C of this Article and shall be paid, collected, transmitted, deposited, appropriated, and used in accordance with the following provisions:

(4) The monies in the Sex Offender Registry Technology Fund shall be appropriated **as follows:**

(a) For Fiscal Year 2006-2007, the amount of one hundred ninety thousand dollars to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, shall be administered by the office of state police, and shall be used solely for the purpose of facilitating in the administration of programs for the registration of sex offenders in compliance with federal and state laws, and support of community notification efforts by local law enforcement agencies. For Fiscal Years 2007-2008 and thereafter, the amount to be appropriated under this Subparagraph shall be twenty-five thousand dollars.

(b) For Fiscal Year 2006-2007 and each year thereafter, an amount equal to fifteen percent of the total residual monies available for appropriation from the fund after satisfying the requirements of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph shall be appropriated to the Department of Corrections, office of adult probation and parole.

(c) For Fiscal Years 2006-2007 and thereafter, residual monies available for appropriation after satisfying the requirements of Subparagraphs (a) and (b) of this Paragraph shall be appropriated to the Department of Public Safety and

**Corrections, office of state police, for distribution to the sheriff of each parish, based on the population of convicted sex offenders, sexually violent predators, and child predators residing in the respective parish according to the State Sex Offender and Child Predator Public Registry. Such population data shall be as compiled and certified by the undersecretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections on the first day of June. The office of state police shall make these distributions to the recipient sheriffs no later than June fifteenth.**

Section 5. The funds payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Sex Offender Registry Technology Fund for additional support and to the Operational Support Program for distribution to the sheriff of each parish in accordance with C.C.P. Art. 895.1(F), as appropriated in Schedule 08-419, Office of State Police, Public Safety Services, of House Bill No. 1 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature, contingent upon the enactment of House Bill No. 695 of the 2006 Regular Session Legislature, shall be payable as so appropriated if the provisions contained in the reengrossed version of House Bill No. 695 are enacted into law regardless of the instrument in which such provisions are enacted.

Section 6. The provisions of Sections 4 and 5 of this Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, Sections 4 and 5 of this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

Section 7. If any provision or item of this Act, or the application thereof, is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items, or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision, item, or application and to this end the provisions of this Act are hereby declared severable."

Senators:  
Willie Mount  
Robert Marionneaux, Jr.  
Robert Kostelka

Respectfully submitted,  
Representatives:  
Ronnie Johns  
Roy Quezaire  
Charles Kleckley

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Mount asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Mount, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS		
Mr. President	Ellington	Michot
Adley	Fontenot	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux B	Murray
Barham	Heitmeier	Nevers
Boasso	Hollis	Quinn
Broome	Jackson	Romero
Cain	Jones	Schedler
Chaisson	Kostelka	Smith
Cheek	Lentini	Theunissen
Dardenne	Malone	Ullo
Duplessis	Marionneaux	
Dupre	McPherson	
Total - 34		
NAYS		
Total - 0		
ABSENT		
Bajoie	Fields	Shepherd
Cravins	Gautreaux N	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Mount moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Senate Bill No. 22 by Senator Smith

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 22 by Senator Smith recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, proposed by the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 25, 2006, be adopted.
2. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, and 3, proposed by Representative Hebert and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
3. That House Floor Amendment No. 1, proposed by Representative LaFleur and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006, be rejected.

Senators:  
Mike Smith  
Robert W. "Bob" Kostelka  
Arthur J. "Art" Lentini

Respectfully submitted,  
Representatives:  
Ernie Alexander  
Glenn Ansardi

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Smith asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Smith, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS		
Mr. President	Fontenot	Michot
Adley	Gautreaux B	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Murray
Barham	Heitmeier	Nevers
Boasso	Hollis	Quinn
Broome	Jackson	Romero
Cain	Jones	Schedler
Chaisson	Kostelka	Smith
Cheek	Lentini	Theunissen
Dardenne	Malone	Ullo
Dupre	Marionneaux	
Ellington	McPherson	
Total - 34		
NAYS		
Total - 0		
ABSENT		
Bajoie	Duplessis	Shepherd
Cravins	Fields	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Smith moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

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CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 119 by Senator Mount

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 119 by Senator Mount recommend the following concerning the Original resolution.

- 1. That all of the House Floor amendments proposed by Representative Charles Lancaster and adopted by the House on June 16, 2006 be rejected.
2. That the following amendment to the original resolution be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following: "(24) The attorney general."

Senators: Willie Mount, Edwin Murray, Ann Duplessis
Representatives: Sydnie Mae Durand, Monica Walker

Rules Suspended

Senator Mount asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Mount, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table listing names of Senators and Representatives who voted 'YEAS', including Mr. President, Fontenot, Michot, Adley, Gautreaux B, Mount, Amedee, Gautreaux N, Murray, Barham, Heitmeier, Nevers, Boasso, Hollis, Quinn, Broome, Jackson, Romero, Cain, Jones, Schedler, Chaisson, Kostelka, Smith, Cheek, Lentini, Theunissen, Dardenne, Malone, Ullo, Dupre, Marionneaux, Ellington, McPherson, Total - 34.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table listing names of Senators and Representatives who were 'ABSENT', including Bajoie, Duplessis, Shepherd, Cravins, Fields, Total - 5.

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Mount moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 13 By Representative Greene

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 13 by Representative Greene, recommend the following concerning the Re-Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A and adopted by the Senate on May 24, 2006, be rejected.
2. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Lentini and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be rejected.
3. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Kostelka and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be rejected.
4. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator N. Gautreaux and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be rejected.
5. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Smith and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be rejected.
6. That the following amendments to the re-reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, after "parish court," and before "or court" delete "municipal court, drug court,"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 18 and 19 in their entirety and on page 2, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(1) For the supreme court or a court of appeals - ten years.

(2) For a district court, family court, parish court, or court having solely juvenile jurisdiction - eight years."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 4 through 6 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the end of line 8, change "November 7," to "September 30,"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, delete lines 14 through 18 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"To provide that a person shall have been admitted to the practice of law for ten years preceding election to the supreme court or a court of appeals and for eight years preceding election to a district court, family court, parish court, or court having solely juvenile jurisdiction; and to decrease the requirement that a person be domiciled in the respective district, circuit, or parish from two years to one year preceding election. Effective January 1, 2008, and applicable to any person who is elected to the office of judge on and after January 1, 2008. (Amends Article V, Section 24)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 20 and 21 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"effective on January 1, 2008, and shall be applicable to any person who is elected to the office of judge on and after January 1, 2008."

Representatives: Hunter Greene
Senators: Robert W. "Bob" Kostelka

Joseph F. Toomy  
Karen R. Carter

Arthur J. "Art" Lentini  
Edwin R. Murray

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Kostelka asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Kostelka, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dupre	Marionneaux
Adley	Ellington	McPherson
Amedee	Fontenot	Michot
Bajoie	Gautreaux B	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux N	Murray
Boasso	Heitmeier	Nevers
Broome	Hollis	Quinn
Cain	Jackson	Romero
Chaisson	Jones	Schedler
Cheek	Kostelka	Smith
Dardenne	Lentini	Theunissen
Duplessis	Malone	Ullo
Total - 36		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Cravins	Fields	Shepherd
Total - 3		

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Kostelka moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**Senator Broome in the Chair**

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
House Bill No. 675 By Representative McVea

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 675 by Representative McVea, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator B. Gautreaux and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be rejected.

Representatives:  
Tom McVea  
Charles D. Lancaster, Jr.  
Carl Crane

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Noble E. Ellington  
Charles D. Jones  
Nick Gautreaux

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Ellington asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Ellington, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dupre	Marionneaux
Adley	Ellington	McPherson
Amedee	Fontenot	Michot
Bajoie	Gautreaux B	Mount
Barham	Heitmeier	Murray
Boasso	Hollis	Quinn
Broome	Jackson	Romero
Chaisson	Jones	Schedler
Cheek	Kostelka	Smith
Dardenne	Lentini	Theunissen
Duplessis	Malone	Ullo
Total - 33		

**NAYS**

Gautreaux N  
Total - 1

**ABSENT**

Cain	Fields	Shepherd
Cravins	Nevers	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
House Bill No. 1293 By Representative Jack Smith

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1293 by Representative Jack Smith, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 14 proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 7, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:  
"Section 2. This Act shall be applicable to tax years beginning on and after January 1, 2004."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, at the beginning of line 27, change "Section 2" to "Section 3"

Representatives:  
Jack D. Smith  
Bryant O. Hammett, Jr.

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Willie L. Mount  
Ben Nevers

June 19, 2006

T. Taylor Townsend

Robert W. "Bob" Kostelka

Rules Suspended

Senator Mount asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Mount, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington Michot
Adley Fields Mount
Amedee Fontenot Murray
Bajoie Gautreaux B Nevers
Barham Heitmeier Quinn
Boasso Hollis Romero
Broome Jackson Schedler
Cain Jones Smith
Chaisson Kostelka Theunissen
Cheek Lentini Ullo
Dardenne Marionneaux
Dupre McPherson
Total - 34

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cravins Gautreaux N Shepherd
Duplessis Malone
Total - 5

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Mount moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 676 By Representative Baldone

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 676 by Representative Baldone, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That the set of eight Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Ellington and adopted by the Senate on May 17, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the following amendment to the Engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 5, after "counsel;" insert "provides for effective dates;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the end of line 20, insert the following:

"The amount in controversy shall be equal to or greater than five thousand dollars."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete lines 9 through 11 in their entirety, and insert the

following:

"G. The assessor is authorized to employ private counsel to represent him in any suit brought against him under this Section or R.S. 47:1989, and which is filed on or after July 1, 2006, on a contingency fee basis, payable from"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, between lines 15 and 16, insert:

"Section 2. Section 10 of the Act which originated as Senate Bill No. 647 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 10. The provisions of Section 8 of this Act shall take effect and become operative if and when the proposed amendment to Article VII, Section 24 of the Constitution of Louisiana contained in the Act which originated as Senate Bill No. 141 of this 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature is adopted at the statewide election to be held on November 7, 2006, and becomes effective. The provisions of Sections 1 through 7 and 9 of this Act shall become effective on May 3, 2010, if and when the proposed amendment to Article VII, Section 24 of the Constitution of Louisiana contained in the Act which originated as Senate Bill No. 141 of this 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature is adopted at the statewide election to be held on November 7, 2006, and becomes effective."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 16, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."

Representatives:

Damon J. Baldone
Bryant O. Hammett, Jr.
Billy Montgomery

Respectfully submitted,

Senators:

Noble E. Ellington
Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.

Rules Suspended

Senator Ellington asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report.

Senator Ellington moved that the Senate adopt the Conference Committee Report.

Senator Barham moved as a substitute motion that the Senate reject the Conference Committee Report.

Senator Ellington objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called on the substitute motion with the following result:

YEAS

Adley Cravins Mount
Bajoie Dardenne Murray
Barham Heitmeier Schedler
Boasso Lentini Theunissen
Cheek Michot
Total - 14

NAYS

Mr. President Fields Malone
Amedee Fontenot Marionneaux
Broome Gautreaux B McPherson
Cain Gautreaux N Nevers
Chaisson Hollis Romero
Dupre Jackson Smith
Ellington Kostelka Ullo
Total - 21

ABSENT

Duplessis Quinn

Jones Shepherd  
Total - 4

The Chair declared the Senate refused to reject the Conference Committee Report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called on the original motion to adopt the Conference Committee Report with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Malone
Amedee	Fields	Marionneau
Bajoie	Gautreaux B	McPherson
Broome	Gautreaux N	Romero
Chaisson	Hollis	Smith
Cravins	Jackson	Ullo
Dupre	Kostelka	
Total - 20		

**NAYS**

Adley	Dardenne	Murray
Barham	Fontenot	Nevers
Boasso	Heitmeier	Quinn
Cain	Lentini	Schedler
Cheek	Michot	Theunissen
Total - 15		

**ABSENT**

Duplessis Mount  
Jones Shepherd  
Total - 4

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Ellington moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Senate Bill No. 214 by Senator Murray

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 214 by Senator Murray recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments Nos. 1, 2, and 3 proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 6, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "13:2500(C)(1)" and before "relative" delete the comma and insert "and to enact R.S. 13:5.1, relative to courts; to provide relative to certain courts, offices, and officials in Orleans Parish; to provide relative to payment by the state of costs of consolidation of certain courts, offices and officials in Orleans Parish; to provide"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 13:5.1 is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:  
**"§5.1. Payment of consolidation costs of courts and officers**

in Orleans Parish

A. Act of the 2006 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, which originated as Senate Bill No. 645, provides relative to the consolidation of certain courts, officers and officials in Orleans Parish.

B. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, any increase in public expenditures or costs arising from such Act or as a result of the implementation of any of its provisions shall be assumed, borne and paid solely by the state.

C. The provisions of this Section shall supersede and control to the extent of conflict with any other provision of law.

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AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, after line 15, insert the following:

"Section 2. The Louisiana State Law Institute is hereby directed to insert the appropriate Act number for the Act originating as Senate Bill No. 645 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature.

Section 3. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

Senators:  
Edwin R. Murray  
Diana E. Bajoie  
Willie Mount

Respectfully submitted,  
Representatives:  
Cedric L. Richmond  
Joseph F. Toomy  
Karen R. Carter

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Murray asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Murray, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Dupre	Marionneau
Adley	Ellington	McPherson
Amedee	Fields	Michot
Bajoie	Fontenot	Mount
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Cain	Hollis	Romero
Chaisson	Jackson	Schedler
Cheek	Jones	Smith
Cravins	Lentini	Theunissen
Dardenne	Malone	Ullo
Total - 36		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Duplessis Kostelka Shepherd  
Total - 3

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Murray moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Senate Bill No. 204 by Senator Cheek

June 19, 2006

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 204 by Senator Cheek recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That the House Committee Amendment No. 1 through No. 5 proposed by House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 14, 2006 be rejected.
2. That House Floor Amendments No. 1 through 6 proposed by Representative Honey and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006 be rejected.
3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 1, after "To" and before "enact" delete "amend and reenact R.S. 33:1981(C)(1) and (2) and 2201(C)(1) and (2) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, change "33:2201(F)" to "33:2581.1" and delete "survivors of"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 4, after "firemen" insert a semi-colon ";" and delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 5 through 9 in their entirety and insert the following:

"to provide for cost-of-living adjustments for surviving spouses of certain law enforcement officers; to provide that the development of hearing loss while employed in the classified fire service is an occupational disease; to provide for benefits to an affected employee; to create a rebuttable presumption that such hearing loss developed during employment under certain circumstances; to require certain persons appointed to the classified fire service to submit to certain examinations; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 9, after "Section 2." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 10 through 29 in their entirety and insert the following:

"R.S. 33:2581.1 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§2581.1. Development of hearing loss during employment in the classified fire service; occupational disease

A. Any loss of hearing which is ten percent greater than that of the affected employee's comparable age group in the general population and which develops during employment in the classified fire service in the state of Louisiana shall, for purposes of this Section only, be classified as a disease or infirmity connected with employment. The employee affected shall be entitled to medical benefits including hearing prosthesis as granted by the laws of the state of Louisiana to which one suffering an occupational disease is entitled, regardless of whether the fireman is on duty at the time he is stricken with the loss of hearing. Such loss of hearing shall be presumed to have developed during employment and shall be presumed to have been caused by or to have resulted from the nature of the work performed whenever same is manifested at any time after the first five years of employment in such classified service. This presumption shall be rebuttable by evidence meeting judicial standards and shall be extended to an employee following termination of service for a period of twenty-four months.

B. Each person selected for appointment to an entry level position in the classified fire service on July 1, 2006, or thereafter shall submit to a baseline audiology examination. The appointing authority shall develop and implement policies and procedures for the administration of such examination. Such examination shall take place not later than one year after the selection of such person for such appointment.

Section 3. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2006; if

vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2006, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

Delete pages 3 and 4 in their entirety.

Senators: Sherri Smith Cheek D.A. "Butch" Gautreaux Donald E. Hines

Respectfully submitted, Representatives: Jack D. Smith Ernest Baylor, Jr.

Rules Suspended

Senator Cheek asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Cheek, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, NAYS. Lists names of senators and their counts for YEAS and NAYS.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, NAYS. Lists names of senators and their counts for ABSENT.

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Cheek moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 222 by Senator Mount

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 222 by Senator Mount recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That the House Committee Amendments proposed by the House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 7, 2006 be adopted.
2. That the House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Cazayoux and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006 be adopted.
3. That the House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative

Gallot and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006 be adopted.

- 4. That the House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Johns and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006 be adopted.

Senators: Robert J. Barham Willie Mount Respectfully submitted, Representatives: Donald J. Cazayoux Ronnie Johns Roy Quezairre, Jr.

Rules Suspended

Senator Mount asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Mount, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, and Name. Lists names like Mr. President, Adley, Amedee, Bajoie, Barham, Boasso, Broome, Cain, Chaisson, Cheek, Dardenne, Dupre, Ellington, Fields, Fontenot, Gautreaux B, Heitmeier, Hollis, Jackson, Jones, Malone, Marionneaux, McPherson, Michot, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Quinn, Romero, Schedler, Shepherd, Smith, Theunissen, Ullo.

NAYS

Table with 3 columns: Name, NAYS, and Name. Lists names like Gautreaux N, Kostelka, Lentini.

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, ABSENT. Lists names like Cravins, Duplessis.

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Mount moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1293.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 13.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1229.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 767.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1208.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

June 19, 2006

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1204.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 707.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Reports of Committees, Resumed

The following reports of committees were received and read:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 1094 By Representative M. Powell

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1094 by Representative M. Powell, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works and adopted by the Senate on May 1, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the set of 7 Senate Floor Amendments (#3498) proposed by Senator Ellington and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be adopted.
3. That the set of 5 Senate Floor Amendments (#3918) proposed by Senator Ellington and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be rejected
4. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In the set of 7 Senate Floor Amendments (#3498) proposed by Senator Ellington and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, in Amendment No. 7, on page 1, at the end of line 35 change "the Act" to "Act No. 305" and on line 36 delete "which originated as House Bill No. 1306"

Representatives: Mike Powell Roy Quezairre, Jr. Eddie Lambert

Respectfully submitted, Senators: Noble E. Ellington Max T. Malone Mike Smith

Rules Suspended

Senator Malone asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report.

Senator Malone moved that the Conference Committee Report be adopted.

Senator Heitmeier moved as a substitute motion that the Conference Committee Report be rejected.

Senator Malone objected.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called on the substitute motion with the following result:

YEAS

Amedee Bajoe Barham Broome Cain Chaisson Cheek Cravins Total - 22 Dupre Fields Gautreaux N Heitmeier Hollis Jones Kostelka Lentini Marionneaux McPherson Mount Murray Nevers Schedler

NAYS

Adley Boasso Dardenne Total - 9 Fontenot Malone Michot Romero Smith Theunissen

ABSENT

Mr. President Duplessis Ellington Total - 8 Gautreaux B Jackson Quinn Shepherd Ullo

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was rejected. Senator Heitmeier moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was rejected and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 511 By Representative Damico

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 511 by Representative Damico, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality and adopted by the Senate on May 24, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the beginning of line 4 change "30:2413(A)(10)," to "30:2162 and 2413(A)(10),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "Quality;" insert "to provide for evaluation of solid waste capacity;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 12, change "R.S. 30:2413(A)(10) is" to "R.S. 30:2162 and 2413(A)(10) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

"§2162. Solid waste capacity

A.(1) Not later than January 1, 2007 and at least every two years thereafter, the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality shall evaluate the volume and types of solid waste managed in Louisiana, which shall include solid waste that is reduced, generated, transported, recycled, processed, incinerated, treated, stored, or disposed.

(2) In performing such evaluations, the secretary shall determine the permitted capacity that is available to safely manage the solid waste. After each such determination, the secretary shall submit a report to the House Committee on the Environment and the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality and shall make such determination available to the public through public notification and the department mail list.

B.(1) The secretary shall ensure that sufficient available permitted capacity exists to safely and efficiently manage solid waste resulting from a declared emergency originating from an in-state emergencies.

(2) Permitted capacity shall be considered along with other relevant factors in the permitting of solid waste.

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Representatives: N. J. Damico Ernest D. Wooton Errol Romero
Respectfully submitted, Senators: Heulette "Clo" Fontenot Jody Amedee Max T. Malone

Rules Suspended

Senator Fontenot asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Fontenot, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Ellington McPherson
Adley Fields Michot
Amedee Fontenot Mount
Bajoie Gautreaux B Murray
Barham Gautreaux N Nevers
Boasso Heitmeier Quinn
Broome Hollis Romero
Cain Jackson Schedler
Chaisson Jones Shepherd
Cheek Kostelka Smith
Cravins Lentini Theunissen
Dardenne Malone Ullo
Dupre Marionneaux
Total - 38

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Duplessis
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Fontenot moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

Rules Suspended

Senator Shepherd asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Second Reading, Subject to Call

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions on second reading, subject to call, were taken up and acted upon as follows:

Called from the Calendar

Senator Shepherd asked that Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 140 be called from the Calendar at this time.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 140— BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to take such actions as are necessary to provide federal financial assistance to assist local governments in Louisiana in the repair and restoration of essential public utility services and related infrastructure damaged or destroyed by hurricanes Katrina and Rita.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Shepherd moved to adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President Dupre Marionneaux
Adley Ellington McPherson
Amedee Fields Michot
Bajoie Fontenot Mount
Barham Gautreaux B Murray
Boasso Gautreaux N Nevers
Broome Heitmeier Quinn
Cain Hollis Romero
Chaisson Jackson Schedler
Cheek Jones Shepherd
Cravins Kostelka Smith
Dardenne Lentini Theunissen
Duplessis Malone Ullo
Total - 39

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Total - 0

The Chair declared the Senate had adopted the Senate Concurrent Resolution and ordered it sent to the House.

Called from the Calendar

Senator Shepherd asked that Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 141 be called from the Calendar at this time.

June 19, 2006

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 141—  
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Economic Development execute cooperative endeavor agreements with entities that received monies or guarantees under the Louisiana Bridge Loan Program and that such cooperative endeavor agreements provide that the monies received or guaranteed be converted to grants.

The resolution was read by title. Senator Shepherd moved to adopt the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Ellington	McPherson
Adley	Fields	Michot
Amedee	Fontenot	Mount
Bajoie	Gautreaux B	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Boasso	Heitmeier	Quinn
Broome	Hollis	Romero
Cain	Jackson	Schedler
Chaisson	Jones	Shepherd
Cheek	Kostelka	Smith
Cravins	Lentini	Theunissen
Dardenne	Malone	Ullo
Dupre	Marionneaux	
Total - 38		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Duplessis  
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Senate had adopted the Senate Concurrent Resolution and ordered it sent to the House.

Motion

On motion of Senator Jones the Senate went into Executive Session.

After Executive Session

ROLL CALL

The Senate was called to order by the President of the Senate with the following Senators present:

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Amedee	Fields	Michot
Bajoie	Fontenot	Mount
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Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Cain	Hollis	Romero
Chaisson	Jackson	Schedler
Cheek	Jones	Shepherd
Cravins	Kostelka	Smith
Dardenne	Lentini	Theunissen
Duplessis	Malone	Ullo
Total - 39		

ABSENT

Total - 0

The President of the Senate announced there were 39 Senators present and a quorum.

Senate Business Resumed

Reports of Committees, Resumed

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on

SENATE AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Senator Charles D. Jones, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

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**Motion to Confirm**

Senator Jones moved to confirm the persons on the above list who were reported by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and recommended for confirmation.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Mount
Adley	Fields	Murray
Amedee	Fontenot	Nevers
Barham	Heitmeier	Quinn
Boasso	Hollis	Romero
Broome	Jackson	Schedler
Cain	Jones	Shepherd
Chaisson	Kostelka	Smith
Cheek	Lentini	Theunissen
Cravins	Malone	Uilo
Dardenne	McPherson	
Dupre	Michot	
Total - 34		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Bajoie	Gautreaux B	Marionneaux
Duplessis	Gautreaux N	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the people on the above list were confirmed.

**Report of Committee on SENATE AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS**

Senator Charles D. Jones, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 19, 2006,

To the President and Members of the Senate:

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I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The committee recommends that the following appointees be confirmed:

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**Explanation of Vote**

Senator Mount disclosed a possible conflict of interest and recused herself from voting on the above matter. She submitted the

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following explanation of this action.

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To the Honorable President of the Senate:

I respectfully wish to recuse myself from voting on confirmation of 2006 appointees. A family member is one of the appointees subject to confirmation.

Sincerely, WILLIE MOUNT Senator

Motion to Confirm

Senator Jones moved to confirm the persons on the above list who were reported by the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and recommended for confirmation.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns listing names of senators and their counts for YEAS.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns listing names of senators and their counts for ABSENT.

The Chair declared the people on the above list were confirmed.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

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To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 81.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 204.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER Clerk of the House of Representatives

Rules Suspended

Senator Shepherd asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

Introduction of Senate Resolutions

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of introducing and reading the following Senate Resolutions a first and second time and acting upon them as follows:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 165—

BY SENATORS HINES, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO

A RESOLUTION

To commend Diane Mills Burkhart for her outstanding and unparalleled contributions to the Legislature and the State of Louisiana and to the many people she has lovingly assisted in her twenty-eight years of exemplary service and offer congratulations on her richly deserved retirement.

On motion of Senator Hines, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 166—

BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Mary Williams of the Greater St. Mary Baptist Church on the many accomplishments and contributions she has made during her lifetime.

On motion of Senator Shepherd, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 167—

BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Tachel Porch upon her accomplishments in life and the contributions she makes that touches the lives of others.

On motion of Senator Shepherd, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 168—

BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Arthur Johnson upon his accomplishments and contributions to the Watson Memorial Teaching Ministries.

On motion of Senator Shepherd, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 169—**

BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend Dorothy Carroll Williams of Greater St. Stephens Full Gospel Baptist Church upon her numerous accomplishments.

On motion of Senator Shepherd, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 170—**

BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend Ruth Marie Newton Wilson of Greater St. Stephen Full Gospel Baptist Church on her numerous accomplishments.

On motion of Senator Shepherd, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 171—**

BY SENATORS DARDENNE AND HINES

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend and congratulate Lydia Shelby Kelly Yelverton on the occasion of her one hundredth birthday.

On motion of Senator Dardenne, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 172—**

BY SENATORS HOLLIS AND MICHOT

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Economic Development to amend its Enterprise Zone Program regulations in order to allow multi-family housing developments to qualify for program benefits if such developments meet all the other requirements of the program.

On motion of Senator Hollis, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 173—**

BY SENATOR JACKSON

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to study and clarify the issue of whether a licensed social worker and a licensed professional counselor may continue to provide prevention and treatment of substance abuse and addictive disorders without additional certification for these services.

On motion of Senator Jackson, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 174—**

BY SENATOR MOUNT

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to study the feasibility of removing W.O. Moss Regional Medical Center from the control of the LSU Health Sciences Center-New Orleans.

On motion of Senator Mount, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 175—**

BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend Sister Dorothy Ruth on her numerous contributions to the Westbank location of New Home Ministries.

On motion of Senator Shepherd, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 176—**

BY SENATOR MALONE

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend Robbie Dean of Airline High School upon his selection as a representative of north Louisiana at the Hugh O'Brian World Leadership Congress in Washington, D.C.

On motion of Senator Malone, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 177—**

BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

**A RESOLUTION**

To commend Pauline Plaisance upon her accomplishments as an outstanding parishioner of Visitation of Our Lady Church in Marrero, Louisiana.

On motion of Senator Shepherd, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 178—**

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

**A RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility of increasing the speed limits on roads and highways in Louisiana, to implement policies and procedures facilitating clearance, investigation, and mitigation of traffic incidents, and to provide a written report to the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works no later than March 15, 2006.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator McPherson sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator McPherson to Original Senate Resolution No. 178 by Senator McPherson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, change "2006" to "2007"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 12, change "2006" to "2007"

On motion of Senator McPherson, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Senator McPherson the amended resolution was read by title and adopted.

**Reports of Committees, Resumed**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Senate Bill No. 583 by Senator Fontenot

June 16, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 583 by Senator Fontenot recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendment No. 1, 4, 6, and 8 proposed by the House Committee on Environment and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 25, 2006 be adopted.
2. That House Committee Amendment No. 2, 3, 5, and 7 proposed by the House Committee on Environment and adopted by the

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House of Representatives on May 25, 2006 be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete line 4, and insert: "generated by state and federally declared disasters and debris generated from the rebuilding efforts resulting from these disasters. The"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 8, after "environment," insert "The plan shall be consistent with state and federal law and shall not supersede any ordinance adopted by a local governing authority." and change "emphasize" to "utilize"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, delete line 12, and insert "(2) Weight reduction."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete line 13, and insert "(3) Volume reduction."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, at the beginning of line 16, after "C," insert: "Of the total green and woody debris intended for final disposal in a landfill, fifty percent shall be reduced by weight and fifty percent by volume prior to transport to a landfill."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the end of line 23, insert "The plan shall place restrictions on open burning and shall require that any burning shall utilize equipment to reduce emissions of particulate matter if the department and respective local governing authority deem the use of equipment necessary to protect public health and the environment."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the end of line 27, insert: "In complying with this goal, the plan shall require that uncontaminated wood debris generated from construction be segregated and reduced in weight and volume prior to transport to a landfill. In diverting debris from disposal in landfills, the plan shall require that recyclables and hazardous waste be segregated for beneficial environmental use or reduced in weight prior to transport to a landfill."

Senators: Heulette "Clo" Fontenot, Jody Amedee, Edwin R. Murray

Respectfully submitted, Representatives: N. J. Damico, Ernest D. Wooton

Rules Suspended

Senator Fontenot asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Fontenot, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, YEAS, and names of representatives including Dupre, Ellington, Michot, etc.

Table with 3 columns: Cheek, Kostelka, Smith; Dardenne, Malone, Theunissen; Duplessis, Marionneaux, Ullo; Total - 36

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Cravins, Gautreaux N, Lentini; Total - 3

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Fontenot moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT Senate Bill No. 451 by Senator Broome

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 451 by Senator Broome recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That House Floor Amendment No. 1 proposed by Representative Durand and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 13, 2006, be adopted.
2. That House Floor Amendments No. 1 through 10 proposed by Representative Morrish and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 13, 2006, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Senators: Sharon Weston Broome, Nick Gautreaux, Lydia P. Jackson; Representatives: Michael Jackson, Sydnie Mae Durand, Dan W. Morrish

Rules Suspended

Senator Broome asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Broome, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Mr. President, YEAS, and names of representatives including Ellington, Fields, Michot, etc.

NAYS

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Cravins                      Gautreaux N  
Total - 2

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Broome moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**Messages from the House**

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

**Message from the House**

**RELATIVE TO CONSIDERATION  
AFTER 82<sup>ND</sup> CALENDAR DAY**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House, by a record vote of two-thirds of its elected members, has adopted a motion to allow the Senate to consider House Bill No. 184 on Third Reading and Final Passage after 6:00 p. m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**RELATIVE TO CONSIDERATION  
AFTER 82<sup>ND</sup> CALENDAR DAY**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House, by a record vote of two-thirds of its elected members, has adopted a motion to allow the Senate to consider House Bill No. 1090 on Third Reading and Final Passage after 6:00 p. .m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**RECOMMIT TO  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

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To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has recommitted Senate Bill No. 22 to Conference Committee.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 1383.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 511.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Regular Order of the Day Resumed**

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on  
Third Reading and Final Passage,  
Subject to Call**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage, subject to call, were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator B. Gautreaux asked that House Bill No. 184 be called from the Calendar at this time for its final passage.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 184—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES JACK SMITH, BALDONE, BRUCE, BURRELL, AND LAFLEUR

**AN ACT**

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 894.4, relative to extension of probation or parole; to provide for the extension of probation or parole when monetary obligations are not extinguished; and to provide for related matters.

The bill, which had received consent of both houses for consideration after 6:00 p. m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day, was read by title. Senator B. Gautreaux moved the final passage of the bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Michot
Adley	Fields	Mount
Amedee	Fontenot	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Boasso	Heitmeier	Quinn
Broome	Hollis	Romero
Cain	Jackson	Schedler
Chaisson	Kostelka	Shepherd
Cheek	Lentini	Smith
Cravins	Malone	Theunissen
Dardenne	Marionneaux	Ullo

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Dupre	McPherson	
Total - 35		NAYS
Bajoie		
Total - 1		ABSENT
Duplessis	Gautreaux N	Jones
Total - 3		

The Chair declared the bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator B. Gautreaux moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Hines asked that House Bill No. 1090 be called from the Calendar at this time for its final passage.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1090—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:2420(F), relative to the state inheritance tax; to provide that no interest shall be assessed on certain delinquent taxes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Hines sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Hines to Engrossed House Bill No. 1090 by Representative Fauchoux

AMENDMENT NO. 1

Delete Senate Committee Amendment No. 1, proposed by the Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 2006.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and on line 3, delete "shall be assessed on certain delinquent taxes;" and insert:

"amend and reenact R.S. 47:9 and 337.19(A), R.S. 37:2156(A) and (E), 2156.1(L), 2171.1, 2171.2, and 2175.2(C), to enact R.S. 47:1508(B)(23) and R.S. 37:2156.1(M), 2158(A)(11), and 2186(B)(7), and to repeal R.S. 47:306(D), relative to state taxes; to provide for the manner in which certain contractors shall file and pay state taxes and for registration, certification, and required security for the payment of such taxes;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 6, after "R.S. 47:" insert:

"9 and 337.19(A) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 47:1508(B)(23)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 6 through 10, and insert:

"§9. Collection of taxes from ~~nonresident~~ contractors and subcontractors; **certification and** registration; bond

A. (1) ~~To the end that the state of Louisiana and the political subdivisions thereof may receive all taxes due in every instance, including contributions due under the Employment Security Law, contractors and subcontractors who are nonresidents of this state, desiring to engage in, prosecute, follow or carry on the business of contracting as defined in this Section shall register with the secretary of the Department of Revenue for each contract where the total contract price or compensation to be received amounts to more than three thousand dollars. The secretary of the Department of Revenue shall charge a fee for such registration in an amount of ten dollars for each such contract. All such fees received by the secretary of the~~

Department of Revenue shall be deposited with the state treasurer. The state treasurer shall thereupon credit the amount of said fees to the State General Fund.

For purposes of this Section, the following definitions shall apply:

(1) "Contractor" means any individual, partnership, corporation, association or other legal entity who undertakes to, attempts to, or submits a price or bid or offers to construct, supervise, superintend, oversee, direct, or in any manner assume charge of the construction, alteration, repair, improvement, movement, demolition, putting up, tearing down, or furnishing labor, or furnishing labor together with material or equipment, or installing the same for any building, highway, road, railroad, sewer, grading, excavation, pipeline, public utility structure, project development, housing or housing development, improvement or any other construction undertaking. The term "contractor" includes general contractors, subcontractors, architects, and engineers who receive an additional fee for the employment or direction of labor, or any other work beyond the normal architectural or engineering services.

(2) "Nonresident contractor" means all persons, including individuals, partnerships, corporations, associations, and other legal entities that are not resident contractors.

(3) "Resident contractor" means (2) For the purpose of determining whether a contractor is resident or nonresident under this Section; individuals who have maintained their permanent domiciles in Louisiana for at least one year prior to bidding on work; corporations who have operated permanent business facilities in Louisiana for at least one year prior to bidding on work; and corporations, at least fifty percent of whose outstanding and issued common shares are owned by individuals who have maintained their domiciles in Louisiana for at least one year prior to bidding on work, shall be considered residents and will not be subject to the contract registration and bond requirements of this Section; and partnerships, associations, and other legal entities in which resident corporations or individuals, as defined in this Paragraph, have at least a fifty percent ownership interest, shall also be considered residents resident contractors. All other persons, including individuals, partnerships, corporations, associations, and other legal entities shall be considered nonresidents and shall be subject to the contract registration and bond requirements.

(4) "Subcontractor" means any individual, partnership, corporation, association, or other legal entity who contracts directly with the general contractor for the performance of a part of the principal contract or contracts with another subcontractor for the performance of a part of the principal contract.

~~B. (1) Every contractor required to register any contract or contracts, as defined in this Section, shall, before entering into the performance of such contract or contracts, execute and file with the secretary of the Department of Revenue a good and valid bond in a surety company authorized to do business in this state, or with sufficient sureties to be approved by the secretary, conditioned that all taxes, including contributions due under the employment security law and including personal income taxes due from employees which the contractor is required to withhold and remit, which may accrue to the state of Louisiana and all taxes which may accrue to the political subdivisions thereof on account of the execution and performance of such contract or contracts, will be paid when due, and the execution and filing of said bond shall be a condition precedent to commencing work on any contract in this state. Such bond shall be conditioned as hereinabove provided with respect to all contracts to be performed during the current calendar year and shall be in a sum of not less than one thousand dollars. If at any time during the current calendar year the secretary determines that the amount of the above bond is not sufficient to cover the tax liabilities accruing to the state of Louisiana or the political subdivisions thereof for the current calendar year or, upon written request of the employment security division, the secretary shall require such bond to be increased in such sum as the secretary may determine to be proper. When any contractor has fully performed all contracts registered during the current calendar year, the hereinabove required bond may be released by the secretary.~~

~~(2) Any contractor who is or becomes subject to the provisions of this Section and every contractor required to register any contract~~

or contracts, as defined in this Section, who contracts with any subcontractor, who also is or becomes subject to the provisions of this Section or is required to register any contract or contracts as defined in this Section, shall withhold sufficient moneys on said contract to guarantee that all taxes, including contributions due under the employment security law and including personal income taxes due from employees which the contractor is required to withhold and remit, which may accrue to the state of Louisiana and all taxes which may accrue to the political subdivisions thereof on account of the execution and performance of such contract or contracts, will be paid when due.

To ensure that the state of Louisiana and the political subdivisions thereof receive all taxes due in every instance, including contributions due under the Employment Security Law, contractors and subcontractors desiring to engage in, prosecute, follow or carry on the business of contracting shall register with the secretary of the Department of Revenue annually and receive certification as either a resident contractor or a nonresident contractor. This certification shall only be issued if the applicant is current in the filing of all applicable tax returns and reports, and in the payment of all final and nonappealable taxes, interest, and penalties owed to the state of Louisiana in the case of a resident contractor, or if the applicant has filed the appropriate bond in the case of a nonresident contractor.

C.(1) At the time of registering with the Department of Revenue and receiving a certification, all nonresident contractors shall file with the secretary of the Department of Revenue a good and valid blanket bond with a surety company authorized to do business in this state, or with sufficient sureties to be approved by the secretary, in order to ensure payment of all taxes, interest, and penalties that may accrue to the state of Louisiana and its political subdivisions. The secretary shall determine the amount of the required bond based on the nonresident contractors anticipated gross receipts for the year. Gross receipts of prior years may be analyzed in making this determination.

(2) The secretary may, at her discretion and for good cause shown, allow a nonresident contractor to execute a bond for a specific contract, instead of the blanket bond required in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection.

(3) If at any time during the year the secretary determines that the amount of the nonresident contractor's bond is not sufficient to cover all taxes, interest, and penalties accruing to the state of Louisiana and its political subdivisions, or upon written request of the employment security division, the secretary shall require the amount of the bond to be increased as the secretary determines proper. The nonresident contractor shall have thirty days from the date of the secretary's notice to increase the amount of the bond. If the nonresident contractor fails to increase the amount of the bond, a penalty may be assessed, in addition to any other penalty that may be assessed, of up to ten thousand dollars or ten percent of the contract amount, whichever is greater. However, for good cause shown, the secretary may waive all or a portion of the penalty assessed.

D.(1)(a) Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, any resident or nonresident contractor who is not contracting for commercial purposes and who utilizes a nonresident subcontractor who is not licensed or registered with the Louisiana State Licensing Board for Contractors or an appropriate subcommittee of such board shall withhold and remit to the Department of Revenue three percent of the payments due to the nonresident subcontractor arising out of the contract unless the nonresident has posted the bond as set forth in Subsection C and received certification from the Department of Revenue as set forth in Subsection B. The nonresident subcontractor shall provide the certification to the contractor. However, if the subcontractor is included in the list which shall be provided by the Department of Revenue of those resident and nonresident contractors who have received certification from the Department of Revenue, the contractor shall not be required to obtain the certification.

(b) For purposes of this Section, "contracting for commercial purposes" means entering into contracts other than for the following:

(i) A single residential duplex.

(ii) A single residential triplex.

(iii) A single residential fourplex.

(iv) Any residential home or homes; which shall include those for which the contractor has a single contract for the construction of two or more homes within the same subdivision.

(2) The contractor shall obtain the certification issued to his resident subcontractors by the Department of Revenue as provided for in Subsection B of this Section to prove that this withholding is not required. However, if the subcontractor is included in the list which shall be provided by the Department of Revenue of those resident and nonresident contractors who have received certification from the Department of Revenue, the contractor shall not be required to obtain the certification.

(3) Any contractor or subcontractor required to withhold pursuant to Paragraph (D)(1) of this Section found to have a contract or subcontract with a nonresident contractor who has not received certification from the Department of Revenue as provided for in Subsection B of this Section, and such contractor or subcontractor has not withheld and remitted to the Department of Revenue the requisite three percent of the payments due to the nonresident contractor, may be assessed a penalty of up to ten percent of the total contract amount. However, for good cause shown, the secretary may waive all or a portion of the penalty assessed.

E. All nonresident contractors shall withhold and remit to the Department of Revenue four and two-tenths percent of all amounts payable to those who are not their employees and are also not Louisiana residents. Failure to do so may result in the assessment of a penalty in the amount of up to ten percent of the contract amount. However, for good cause shown, the secretary may waive all or a portion of the penalty assessed.

(3) F. Failure to comply with the provisions of this Section shall render ~~said~~ the contractor directly liable for ~~such~~ all taxes, contributions, penalties, and interest due from ~~said~~ the subcontractor and the secretary shall have all of the remedies of collection against ~~said~~ the contractor under the provisions of this Section as though the services in question were performed directly ~~for~~ ~~said~~ by the contractor.

G. Any person found producing fraudulent certificates or documents under this Section shall be assessed a penalty of twenty thousand dollars or twenty-five percent of the contract, whichever is greater, and may be subject to criminal prosecution.

(4) H. No state entity, including but not limited to the office of state fire marshal, code enforcement and building safety or local governing authority charged with the responsibility of issuing any permit, license, or certificate necessary for the lawful commencement of any construction contract shall issue such permit, license, or certificate to a nonresident contractor until sufficient evidence is presented by the applicant that he has posted the bond required by this Subsection ~~the applicant has presented the certificate issued by the Department of Revenue evidencing the fact that he has executed the appropriate bond required by this Section or that he is a resident contractor current on all final and nonappealable taxes, interest and penalties due to the state. However, contractors who possess a current license issued by the Louisiana State Licensing Board for Contractors or a subcommittee of such board may present such license in lieu of the certificate issued by the Department of Revenue as evidence that he has executed the appropriate bond or is current on all final and nonappealable taxes, interest and penalties due to the state.~~

(5) I.(1) Every person failing to register as required by this Section or to execute the bond herein provided before beginning the performance of any contract shall be denied the right to perform such any contract until he complies with such requirements, and the district attorney for any parish in which the contract is to be performed, the employment security division, or the secretary, or the attorney general is hereby authorized to proceed by injunction to prevent any activity in the performance of such contract until such registration is made and such bond is executed and filed, and any temporary injunction enjoining the execution of such contract shall be granted without notice by any judge authorized by law to grant injunctions.

(2) The secretary is further authorized to impose a penalty

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for commencement of a contract without the proper registration and bond required by this Section in the amount of five hundred dollars or five percent of the construction contract, whichever is greater.

J. The secretary of the Department of Revenue may promulgate such rules and regulations as are necessary to effectuate the provisions of this Section.

K. Nothing herein shall be construed so as to affect the licensing requirements of R.S. 47:341 et seq.

L. Money received by the secretary from the penalties imposed by this Section shall be deposited immediately upon receipt into the state treasury and after compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, shall be designated as self-generated revenues of the agency and shall be used by the department solely for the purpose of administering and enforcing the provisions of this Section.

§337.19. Withholding of state funds; assessment and collection standards

A. The secretary of the Department of Revenue, after consultation with representatives of the Louisiana Municipal Association, the Louisiana Police Jury Association, the Louisiana School Boards Association, and the Louisiana Association of Tax Administrators, is hereby authorized and directed to promulgate rules, pursuant to the enforcement of R.S. 47:306(D) 47:9. Such rules shall also apply to R.S. 47:337.18(C). The municipal and parish permitting agencies of each parish as specified in R.S. 47:306(D)(a) 47:9 and R.S. 47:337.18(C)(2)(a) shall comply with rules authorized by this Subsection within six months of the effective date of such rules.

§1508. Confidential character of tax records

B. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent:

(23) The secretary from disclosing to the Louisiana State Licensing Board for Contractors or an appropriate subcommittee of such board taxpayer information for the sole purpose of administering the provisions of R.S. 47:9 or from publishing the names of those resident and nonresident contractors that have received certification from the Department of Revenue pursuant to R.S. 47:9.

"Section 2. R.S. 37:2156(A) and (E), 2156.1(L), 2171.1, 2171.2, and 2175.2(C) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 37:2156.1(M), 2158(A)(11), and 2186(B)(7) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§2156. Unexpired licenses; fees; renewals

A. (1) All licenses and renewals issued under the provisions of this Chapter shall expire December 31 of the year in which they are issued. The license is an annual license and becomes invalid on that date unless renewed; however, after a license has expired, the person to whom such license was issued shall have until the second Tuesday of January next following the expiration date, to file an application for the renewal of such license without the payment of a penalty and without further examination, and any person who makes an application for the renewal of a license after the second Tuesday of January next following the expiration date of the license may, at the discretion of the board, have his license renewed after paying the required license fees and such penalty, not exceeding the sum of fifty dollars, that the board may impose.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, no license shall be issued or renewed unless the board or an appropriate subcommittee of the board has received certification that the applicant is in compliance with R.S. 47:9.

E. Any other provisions of this Chapter notwithstanding:

(1) No license shall be issued or reissued to any foreign corporation which has not obtained from the secretary of state a certificate of authority to do business, as provided in Chapter 3 of Title 12 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 and a certificate from the secretary of the Department of Revenue evidencing compliance with the requirements of R.S. 47: 9.

(2) No license shall be issued or reissued to any resident or nonresident contractor or subcontractor as defined in R.S. 47:9 who has not obtained from the secretary of the Department of Revenue a certificate evidencing compliance with the requirements of that Section.

§2156.1. Requirements for issuance of a license

L. Each applicant shall present a certificate evidencing compliance with the requirements of R.S. 47:9.

M. Upon completion of the above requirements, the application shall be submitted to the board for review at its next regularly scheduled meeting.

§2158. Revocation, suspension, and renewal of licenses; issuance of cease and desist orders; debarment

A. The board may revoke any license issued hereunder, or suspend the right of the licensee to use such license, or refuse to renew any such license, or issue cease and desist orders to stop work, or debar any person or licensee, for any of the following causes:

(11) Failure to obtain the certification required by R.S. 47:9(B) evidencing the fact that the contractor is a resident and has paid all final and nonappealable taxes, interest and penalties due to the state or is a nonresident and executed the appropriate bond under R.S. 47:9(C).

§2171.1. Inspection of local building permits

Each month the board or its staff shall inspect the list of residential building permits issued by each local building permit official in this state to ensure that no person is working as a residential building contractor without an active license. The board or its staff shall forward a list of all persons found working as residential building contractors without an active license to the secretary of the Department of Revenue each month.

§2171.2. Requirements; building permit

A. Prior to the issuance of any building permit, the local building permit official shall require that the applicant for such permit produce proof that the applicant possesses an active, applicable contractor's license issued by the board, or that the applicant's proposed building activity is exempt from such licensure under this Chapter. The local building permit official shall require any applicant claiming an exemption for residential construction activities to execute an affidavit attesting to the claimed exemption. Such affidavit shall be submitted to the local building permit official prior to the issuance of a permit. Such affidavit shall be executed on a form provided by the board.

B. If for any reason, including the exemptions provided for in Subsection A of this Section, the applicant is not required to produce a current active license issued by the board or its subcommittees prior to receiving a local building permit, the contractor shall be required to produce the certification provided for in R.S. 47:9(B) evidencing the fact that the contractor is a resident and has paid all final and nonappealable taxes, interest and penalties due to the state or is a nonresident and executed the appropriate bond under R.S. 47:9. Such certificate shall be submitted to the local building permit official prior to the issuance of a permit.

C. Liability shall not be imposed on a political subdivision or its officers or employees based upon the exercise or performance of, or the failure to exercise or perform any act or duty provided for in this Section.

§2175.2. Home improvement contracting; registration required

C. The applicant shall furnish the board proof of workers' compensation insurance and proof of registration with the Department of Revenue by providing a current certificate of resident/nonresident status issued by the Department of Revenue pursuant to R.S. 47:9.

§2186. Qualifications for licensure; application; fees

B. An applicant for a license to perform mold remediation shall meet the following requirements:

\* \* \*

**(7) Possess a current certificate issued by the Department of Revenue pursuant to R.S. 47:9.**

Section 3. R.S. 47:306(D) is hereby repealed.  
 Section 4. This Act shall become effective July 1, 2006."

On motion of Senator Hines, the amendments were adopted.

The bill, which had received consent of both houses for consideration after 6:00 p. m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day, was read by title. Senator Hines moved the final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Marionneaux
Amedee	Fields	McPherson
Bajoie	Fontenot	Michot
Barham	Gautreaux B	Murray
Broome	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Cain	Heitmeier	Romero
Cheek	Hollis	Shepherd
Cravins	Jackson	Smith
Dardenne	Jones	Theunissen
Duplessis	Lentini	Ullo
Dupre	Malone	
Total - 32		

**NAYS**

Total - 0

**ABSENT**

Adley	Kostelka	Schedler
Boasso	Mount	
Chaisson	Quinn	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Hines moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**Messages from the House**

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

**Message from the House**

**REJECTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has rejected the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 999.

Respectfully submitted,  
 ALFRED W. SPEER  
 Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**RELATIVE TO CONSIDERATION AFTER 82<sup>ND</sup> CALENDAR DAY**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House, by a record vote of two-thirds of its elected members, has adopted a motion to allow the Senate to consider House Bill No. 374 on Third Reading and Final Passage after 6:00 p.m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day.

Respectfully submitted,  
 ALFRED W. SPEER  
 Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Fontenot asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
 House Bill No. 970 By Representative Jack Smith

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 970 by Representative Jack Smith, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality and adopted by the Senate on June 7, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Fontenot and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2007, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Representatives: Senators:  
 Jack D. Smith Heulette "Clo" Fontenot  
 N. J. Damico Ann Duplessis  
 T. Taylor Townsend Robert Marionneaux, Jr.

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Fontenot asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Fontenot, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Fields	Michot
Adley	Fontenot	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux B	Murray
Barham	Heitmeier	Nevers
Boasso	Hollis	Quinn
Broome	Jackson	Romero
Cain	Jones	Schedler
Chaisson	Kostelka	Shepherd
Cheek	Lentini	Smith
Dardenne	Malone	Theunissen

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Dupre Ellington Total - 35	Marionneaux McPherson	Ullo
	NAYS	
Total - 0	ABSENT	
Bajoie Cravins Total - 4	Duplessis Gautreaux N	

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Fontenot moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
House Bill No. 1017 By Representative Montgomery

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1017 by Representative Montgomery, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Retirement and adopted by the Senate on June 12, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Ullo and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be rejected.
3. That the following amendment to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 1, line 2, after "and (b)(i)" delete "and 441(B)," and insert a comma "," and "441(B), and 788(B)(2)(a) and (3),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 1, at the end of line 7, insert "to provide for the time period during which certain members may make a one-time option to redeposit in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan Account amounts disbursed; to provide limitations on monies eligible for redeposit;"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 1, line 13, after "and (b)(i)" delete "and 441(B)," and insert a comma "," and "441(B), and 788(B)(2)(a) and (3),"

AMENDMENT NO. 4  
On page 5, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:  
"§788. Deferred Retirement Option Plan Account  
\* \* \*

B. \* \* \*

(2)(a) Any member who on or after January 1, ~~1990~~, 1993, but on or before January 1, 1997, received ~~or receives~~ a lump sum disbursement based on the credits to his subaccount shall be eligible for a one-time option to redeposit into the fund the total amount of monies disbursed to the member provided the monies are eligible for rollover under 26 U.S.C.A.408(d)(3), but the option must be exercised by application to the system on or before ~~June 30, 2002~~; December 31, 2007.  
\* \* \*

(3) The authority for members to redeposit monies into the fund pursuant to Paragraph (2) of this Subsection shall cease on ~~July 1, 2002~~; January 1, 2008, and no further redeposits shall thereafter be

authorized pursuant thereto." \* \* \*

AMENDMENT NO. 5  
On page 5, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:  
"Section 3. R.S. 11:788(B)(2) and (3) as amended and reenacted by this Act shall be implemented only upon a ruling by the federal Internal Revenue Service stating that those provisions will not cause a loss of the Teachers' Retirement System's tax qualified status."

AMENDMENT NO. 6  
On page 5, at the beginning of line 11, delete "Section 3." and insert "Section 4."

Respectfully submitted,  
Representatives:  
Billy Montgomery Francis C. Heitmeier  
Pete Schneider D.A. "Butch" Gautreaux

**Rules Suspended**

Senator B. Gautreaux asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report.

Senator B. Gautreaux moved that the Conference Committee Report be adopted.

Senator Theunissen moved as a substitute motion that the Conference Committee Report be rejected.

Senator B. Gautreaux objected.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called on the substitute motion with the following result:

**YEAS**

Adeley	Fontenot	Mount
Amedee	Gautreaux N	Quinn
Barham	Hollis	Romero
Boasso	Lentini	Schedler
Cain	Malone	Smith
Dardenne	Marionneaux	Theunissen
Ellington	Michot	
Total - 20		

**NAYS**

Mr. President	Cravins	Jackson
Bajoie	Dupre	Jones
Broome	Fields	Kostelka
Chaisson	Gautreaux B	Shepherd
Cheek	Heitmeier	
Total - 14		

**ABSENT**

Duplessis	Murray	Ullo
McPherson	Nevers	
Total - 5		

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was rejected. Senator Theunissen moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was rejected and laid the motion on the table.

**Senator Ellington in the Chair**

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage, Subject to Call, Resumed**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third

Reading and Final Passage, subject to call, were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**Called from the Calendar**

Senator Jones asked that House Bill No. 374 be called from the Calendar at this time for its final passage.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 374—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 893(A), relative to suspension and deferral of sentence and probation in felony cases; to provide when a term of probation commences if incarceration and probation are ordered by a court; to provide for the concurrent running of probation and parole supervision in certain cases; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

**Floor Amendments Sent Up**

Senator Jones sent up floor amendments which were read.

**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senator Jones to Engrossed House Bill No. 374 by Representative Martiny

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 1, line 2, after "893(A)" delete the comma "," and insert "and to enact R.S. 15:574.4(A)(4) and R.S. 40:966(H),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 1, line 3, after "probation" and before "felony" delete "in" and insert "and parole consideration in certain"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 1, line 6, after "applicability;" and before "and" insert "to provide with respect to eligibility for parole consideration for certain offenders convicted of certain controlled dangerous substances violations involving heroin;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4  
On page 2, after line 10, insert the following:  
"Section 2. R.S. 15:574.4(A)(4) is hereby enacted to read as follows:  
§574.4. Parole; eligibility; consideration and hearings; decisions of parole; nature, and conditions; rules of conduct; offenders convicted of crimes of violence; infectious disease testing  
A. \* \* \* \*

(4)(a) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (A)(1) or (3) or any other provision of law to the contrary, unless eligible for parole at an earlier date, a person committed to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections serving a life sentence for the production, manufacturing, distribution, or dispensing or possessing with intent to produce, manufacture, or distribute sixteen grams or less of heroin shall be eligible for parole consideration upon serving at least ten years of imprisonment in actual custody.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (A)(1) or (3) or any other provision of law to the contrary, unless eligible for parole at an earlier date, a person committed to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections serving a life sentence for the production, manufacturing, distribution, or dispensing or possessing with intent to produce, manufacture, or distribute more than sixteen grams but less than thirty-two grams of heroin shall be eligible for parole consideration upon serving at least fifteen years of imprisonment in actual custody.  
\* \* \*

Section 3. R.S. 40:966(H) is hereby enacted to read as follows:  
§966. Penalty for distribution or possession with intent to distribute narcotic drugs listed in Schedule I; possession of marijuana  
\* \* \*

H.(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, unless eligible for parole at an earlier date, a person

committed to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections serving a life sentence for the production, manufacturing, distribution, or dispensing or possessing with intent to produce, manufacture, or distribute sixteen grams or less of heroin shall be eligible for parole consideration upon serving at least ten years of imprisonment in actual custody.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of law to the contrary, unless eligible for parole at an earlier date, a person committed to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections serving a life sentence for the production, manufacturing, distribution, or dispensing or possessing with intent to produce, manufacture, or distribute more than sixteen grams or less than thirty-two grams of heroin shall be eligible for parole consideration upon serving at least fifteen years of imprisonment in actual custody."

On motion of Senator Jones, the amendments were adopted.

The bill, which had received consent of both houses for consideration after 6:00 p. m. on the 82<sup>nd</sup> calendar day, was read by title. Senator Jones moved the final passage of the amended bill.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Jackson
Bajoie	Dupre	Jones
Broome	Ellington	Malone
Cain	Fields	Marionneaux
Chaisson	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Cheek	Heitmeier	Theunissen
Cravins	Hollis	
Total - 20		

NAYS

Adley	Fontenot	Quinn
Amedee	Kostelka	Romero
Barham	Lentini	Smith
Boasso	Michot	
Dardenne	Mount	
Total - 13		

ABSENT

Gautreaux N	Murray	Shepherd
McPherson	Schedler	Ullo
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the amended bill was passed. The title was read and adopted. Senator Jones moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and laid the motion on the table.

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Hines asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

**Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of introducing and reading the following Senate Resolutions a first and second time and acting upon them as follows:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 179—**  
BY SENATOR HINES

A RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt Paragraph (B) of Senate Rule No. 10.8 and to repeal Senate Rule No. 7.15 of Senate Rules of Order, and to repeal rules relative to duplicate bills.

On motion of Senator Hines, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 180—**  
BY SENATOR HINES

A RESOLUTION

To commend all of our faithful and steadfast International Association of Firefighters for their heroic actions during and after hurricanes Katrina and Rita and to designate June 19, 2006, as Professional Firefighter Appreciation Day at the Capitol.

On motion of Senator Hines, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 181—**

BY SENATORS FIELDS, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAU, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO

A RESOLUTION

To commend and to congratulate Avery Johnson, coach of the Dallas Mavericks Basketball Team on an outstanding season and the achieving a berth in the National Basketball Association Finals.

On motion of Senator Fields, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

**Messages from the House**

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 222.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 612.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 583.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 204.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Murray asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

**Reports of Committees**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
House Bill No. 234 By Representative Richmond

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 234 by Representative Richmond, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Mount and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be rejected.
2. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, and 4 proposed by Senator Murray and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
3. That Senate Floor Amendment No. 3 by Senator Murray and adopted by the Senate on June 16, 2006, be rejected.
4. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 1, line 3, after "boards" and before "to" add "and charter schools"

AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 1, line 5, after "from" and before "any" change "suggesting" to "specifying or identifying"

AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 1, line 6, after "board" and before "employees" insert "or charter school"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 12, after "board" and before "policies" insert "and charter school"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 15, after "board" and before "shall" insert "and charter school"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 16, after "board" and before "from" insert "or charter school"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, line 8, after "board" and before "who" insert "or charter school"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following:  
 "(2) A teacher or other certified employee of a city, parish, or other local public school board or charter school from suggesting a student be assessed or evaluated by qualified employees of the school board or charter school who perform such function.

(3) A teacher assessing or evaluating any element of a student's academic readiness, performance, or achievement."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 12, after "board" and before "from" insert "or charter school"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, line 14, after "board" delete the period "." and add "or charter school."

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 2, line 20, after "school" and before "who," change "board," to "board or charter school."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 2, line 22, after "board" and before "as" insert "or charter school"

Representatives:  
 Cedric Richmond  
 Carl Crane  
 Emile "Peppi" Bruneau

Respectfully submitted,  
 Senators:  
 Edwin R. Murray  
 Willie Mount  
 Diana Bajoie

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Murray asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Murray, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Duplessis	Malone
Adley	Dupre	Marionneau
Amedee	Ellington	McPherson
Bajoie	Fields	Michot
Barham	Fontenot	Mount
Boasso	Gautreaux B	Murray
Broome	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Cain	Heitmeier	Quinn
Chaisson	Hollis	Romero
Cheek	Jackson	Schedler
Cravins	Kostelka	Theunissen
Dardenne	Lentini	Ullo
Total - 36		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Jones  
 Total - 3  
 Shepherd  
 Smith

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Murray moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**Mr. President in the Chair**

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

House Bill No. 1383 By Representative Townsend

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1383 by Representative Townsend, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendment No.1 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on June 14, 2006, be adopted.

Representatives:  
 T. Taylor Townsend  
 Sydnie Mae Durand  
 Bryant O. Hammett

Respectfully submitted,  
 Senators:  
 Joe McPherson  
 Robert Marionneau

**Rules Suspended**

Senator N. Gautreaux asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator N. Gautreaux, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. President	Dupre	Marionneau
Adley	Ellington	McPherson
Amedee	Fontenot	Michot
Bajoie	Gautreaux B	Murray
Boasso	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Broome	Heitmeier	Quinn
Chaisson	Hollis	Romero
Cheek	Jackson	Schedler
Cravins	Jones	Theunissen
Dardenne	Lentini	Ullo
Duplessis	Malone	
Total - 32		

NAYS

Kostelka  
 Total - 2  
 Mount

ABSENT

Barham  
 Cain  
 Total - 5  
 Fields  
 Shepherd  
 Smith

June 19, 2006

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator N. Gautreaux moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

Rules Suspended

Senator Cheek asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

Reconsideration of Conference Committee Report

On motion of Senator Cheek, pursuant to the previous notice given, the vote by which the Conference Committee Report on Senate Bill No. 522 failed to pass earlier today was reconsidered.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 522 by Senator Cheek

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 522 by Senator Cheek recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

- 1. That the House Floor Amendments No. 1 and 2 proposed by Representative Hopkins and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 14, 2006 be adopted.

Senators: Sherri Smith Cheek, Walter J. Boasso, Robert Marionneau, Jr.
Representatives: Roy Hopkins, Daniel R. Martiny, Ernest D. Wooton

Rules Suspended

Senator Cheek asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Cheek, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names of senators and representatives under the YEAS and NAYS categories.

NAYS

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names of senators and representatives under the NAYS category.

ABSENT

Table with 3 columns: Name, Yeas, Nays. Lists names of senators and representatives under the ABSENT category.

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was

adopted. Senator Cheek moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

Messages from the House

The following Messages from the House were received and read as follows:

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 970.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 234.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 338.

Respectfully submitted, ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House of Representatives

Message from the House

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 522.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 451.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 439.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 453.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to House Bill No. 515.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**ADOPTION OF  
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has adopted the Report of the Conference Committee on the disagreement to Senate Bill No. 723.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Message from the House**

**DISAGREEMENT TO HOUSE BILL**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House of Representatives has refused to concur in the proposed Senate Amendment(s) to House Bill No. 1090 by Representative Faucheux, and ask the President to appoint on the part of the Senate a committee to confer with a like committee from the House on the disagreement.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

**Reports of Committees, Resumed**

The following reports of committees were received and read:

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**  
House Bill No. 439 By Representative Townsend

June 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 439 by Representative Townsend, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments proposed by the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the Senate on June 8, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Chaisson and adopted by the Senate on June 13, 2006, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,  
Representatives:  
T. Taylor Townsend  
Charles D. Lancaster, Jr.  
Jack D. Smith

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Joel T. Chaisson II  
Charles D. Jones  
Rob Marionneaux

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Chaisson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee

June 19, 2006

Report. On motion of Senator Chaisson, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, and Name. Includes Mr. President, Adley, Amedee, Bajoie, Barham, Boasso, Broome, Cain, Chaisson, Cheek, Cravins, Dardenne, Dupre, Fields, Fontenot, Gautreaux B, Heitmeier, Hollis, Jackson, Jones, Kostelka, Lentini, Malone, Marionneaux, McPherson, Michot, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Quinn, Romero, Schedler, Smith, Theunissen, Ullo.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, ABSENT. Includes Duplessis, Ellington, Shepherd.

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Chaisson moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 453 by Senator Malone

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 453 by Senator Malone recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That House Floor Amendments Nos. 1, 2, and 3, proposed by Representative Daniel and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 12, 2006, be rejected.
2. That House Floor Amendment No. 1, proposed by Representative Pierre and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 12, 2006, be rejected.
3. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 4 and insert "To amend and reenact R.S.30:83(F)(5), relative to oil and gas agreements; to provide relative to oilfield site restoration; to provide relative to certain powers of the Oilfield Site Restoration Commission; and to provide for"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and insert "R.S. 30:83(F)(5) is hereby amended and reenacted to read"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 17 and insert: "§83. Oilfield Site Restoration Commission; Department of

Natural Resources

\* \* \*

F. The powers of the commission shall be limited to the following:

\* \* \*

(5) Review administration of site restoration activities and review the adequacy of site restoration assessments and reopen the funding needs and arrangements for site-specific trust accounts every four years. However, unless the oilfield site is transferred from one party to another after the adoption of a standard for evaluation, site-specific trust accounts established prior to the adoption of a standard for evaluation by the office of conservation, Department of Natural Resources shall not be reassessed if the operator of record provides to the office on an annual basis, utilizing the methodology in use at the time the site-specific trust account was established, proof that the security is adequate to ensure proper closure of the wells upon completion of activity.

\* \* \*"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 23

Senators: Max T. Malone, Nick Gautreaux, Michael J. Michot

Respectfully submitted, Representatives: William B. Daniel, IV, Wilfred Pierre, Loulan J. Pitre, Jr

Rules Suspended

Senator Malone asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Malone, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEAS, and Name. Includes Mr. President, Adley, Amedee, Bajoie, Barham, Boasso, Broome, Cain, Chaisson, Cheek, Cravins, Dardenne, Duplessis, Dupre, Ellington, Fields, Fontenot, Gautreaux B, Gautreaux N, Heitmeier, Hollis, Jackson, Jones, Kostelka, Lentini, Malone, Marionneaux, McPherson, Michot, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Quinn, Romero, Schedler, Shepherd, Smith.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, ABSENT. Includes Theunissen, Ullo.

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Malone moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Senate Bill No. 723 by Senator Malone

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to

June 19, 2006

the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 723 by Senator Malone recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the House Committee Amendment No. 1 proposed by the House Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 7, 2006, be adopted.
2. That all of House Floor Amendments proposed by Representative Hopkins and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006, be rejected.
3. That House Floor Amendments No. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 proposed by Representative Glover and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006, be rejected.
4. That the House Floor Amendment No. 2 proposed by Representative Glover and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
5. That House Floor Amendments No. 1, 2, and 3 proposed by Representative Montgomery and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006, be rejected.
6. That House Floor Amendments No. 4, and 5 proposed by Representative Montgomery and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006, be adopted.
7. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "34:3158(A)" insert "and (C)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 8, after "34:3158(A)" insert "and (C)" and change "is" to "are"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 12, delete "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, delete lines 14 through 19, and insert "(a) Three commissioners shall reside within the city limits of Shreveport and each shall serve a term of six years."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 20, delete "(iv)" and insert "(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 21, delete "who shall serve at the pleasure of the mayor." and insert "shall serve a term concurrent with the term of the mayor."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete lines 22 and 23

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 1, after "shall" and before "serve", insert "reside within the city limits of Bossier City and shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, between lines 3 and 4, and insert "C. The governing authorities, in making appointments, shall endeavor to provide for racial diversity of the board and to ensure that the racial proportion of the appointees shall reflect the same racial proportion of the geographical area which they represent. Except, the governing authority of the parish of Caddo, in making appointments, shall endeavor to provide for racial diversity of the board and to ensure that the racial proportion of

their appointees shall reflect the same racial proportion of the governing authority of the parish of Caddo."

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 3, line 4, delete "December 31, 2006" and insert "June 18, 2006"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, line 7, delete "December 31, 2006." and insert "June 30, 2007."

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, line 16, delete "Item (A)(3)(a)(iii)" and insert "Subparagraph (A)(3)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 3, line 19, change "(A)(3)(a)(ii)" to "(A)(1)(a)(ii)"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 3, line 21, delete "December 31, 2006." and insert "June 30, 2007."

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 3, line 22, delete "Item (A)(3)(a)(i)" and insert "Subparagraph (A)(3)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 3, line 25, delete "Item (A)(1)(a)(ii)" and insert "Subparagraph (A)(3)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 3, line 27, delete "at the pleasure of the mayor." and insert "a term concurrent with the term of the mayor who appointed him."

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 3, line 28, delete "Item (A)(3)(a)(iv)" and insert "Subparagraph (A)(3)(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 4, line 4, delete "Item (A)(4)(a)(ii)" and insert "Paragraph (A)(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 4, line 7, delete "Item (A)(4)(a)(i)" and insert "Paragraph (A)(4)"

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 4, after line 7, insert "Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."

Senators:

Max T. Malone  
Lydia P. Jackson  
Noble E. Ellington

Respectfully submitted,

Representatives:  
Billy Montgomery  
Roy Quezairé, Jr.  
Cedric B. Glover

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Malone asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Malone, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

June 19, 2006

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEA, NAY. Lists names like Mr. President, Amedee, Bajoie, Barham, Boasso, Broome, Cain, Chaisson, Cheek, Cravins, Dardenne, Duplessis, Dupre, Ellington, Fontenot, Gautreaux B, Gautreaux N, Heitmeier, Hollis, Jackson, Jones, Kostelka, Lentini, Malone, Marionneaux, McPherson, Michot, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Quinn, Romero, Schedler, Shepherd, Smith.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, YEA, NAY. Lists names: Adley, Fields, Theunissen, Ullo.

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Malone moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senate Bill No. 338 by Senator Amedee

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 338 by Senator Amedee recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

- 1. That the House Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 6 proposed by the House Administration of Criminal Justice Committee and adopted by the House on June 8, 2006 be rejected.
2. That the following amendments to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 13:4207" and before the comma ",," insert "and 4611(1)(b)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 2, after "relative to" and before "judges" insert "powers of"

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 5, after "circumstances;" and before "and" insert "to provide for the penalties a judge may impose after adjudicating a person guilty of contempt of court;"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, line 8, after "R.S. 13:4207" and before "hereby" delete "is" and insert "and 4611(1)(b) are"

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 1, line 16, after "by" and before "judges" delete "these" and insert "judges of the city court within three days from the time such motions or applications for new trial are submitted to them"

for their decision and by district court"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, after line 3, insert the following:

§4611. Punishment for contempt of court
Except as otherwise provided for by law:
(1) The supreme court, the courts of appeal, the district courts, family courts, juvenile courts and the city courts may punish a person adjudged guilty of a contempt of court therein, as follows:
(b) For disobeying or resisting a lawful restraining order, or preliminary or permanent injunction, by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than twelve six months, or both except in juvenile courts and city courts, in which punishment may be a fine of not more than one thousand dollars or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both.

Senators: Jody Amedee, Derrick Shepherd, Joel T. Chaisson II
Representatives: Daniel R. Martiny, Joseph F. Toomy, Warren J. Triche, Jr.

Rules Suspended

Senator Amedee asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Amedee, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Table with 3 columns: Name, YEA, NAY. Lists names: Mr. President, Adley, Amedee, Bajoie, Barham, Boasso, Broome, Cain, Chaisson, Cheek, Cravins, Dardenne, Duplessis, Dupre, Ellington, Fields, Fontenot, Gautreaux B, Gautreaux N, Heitmeier, Hollis, Jackson, Jones, Kostelka, Lentini, Malone, Marionneaux, McPherson, Michot, Mount, Murray, Nevers, Quinn, Romero, Schedler, Shepherd, Smith.

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Table with 2 columns: Name, YEA, NAY. Lists names: Theunissen, Ullo.

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Amedee moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

House Bill No. 515 By Representative Jefferson

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 515 by Representative Jefferson, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 6, 7, and 8 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on June 14, 2006, be rejected.
2. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 proposed by the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and adopted by the Senate on June 14, 2006, be adopted.
3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 4, delete lines 11 through 28 in their entirety and on page 5, delete lines 1 and 2 in their entirety and insert the following:

"§1097. Commission; powers, duties, responsibilities, limitations

A. Each commission created under this Part may construct or acquire a new general hospital facility in Orleans Parish or renovate an existing general hospital facility in Orleans Parish and provide for the operation of such facility.

B. Each commission is further authorized to lease any such facility to any state or local agency, department, or other entity.

C. No hospital shall be constructed or acquired pursuant to this Part until a professionally prepared financial feasibility study is completed, the findings of such study have been reported to the committees on health and welfare of the Senate and House of Representatives pursuant to R.S. 40:1094(D), and the report has been approved by the Department of Health and Hospitals. Such study shall include an examination of the financial feasibility of staffing such an entity under the then current conditions, the funding of the construction or acquisition, and the costs of annual operation of the hospital. The study shall be conducted by a firm qualified for such purposes by the FHA 242 mortgage program.

D. Nothing in this Part shall be construed to adversely affect the authority of any constitutionally created higher education management board, nor shall any entity created pursuant to this Part regulate any medical facility or higher education facility under the control of a constitutionally created higher education management board."

Representatives:  
Cheryl Gray  
Ernest Baylor, Jr.  
Jim Tucker

Respectfully submitted,  
Senators:  
Diana E. Bajoie  
Ann Duplessis  
Joe McPherson

**Rules Suspended**

Senator McPherson asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator McPherson, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	McPherson
Adley	Fields	Michot
Amedee	Fontenot	Mount
Bajoie	Gautreaux B	Murray
Barham	Gautreaux N	Nevers
Boasso	Heitmeier	Quinn
Broome	Hollis	Romero
Cain	Jackson	Schedler
Chaisson	Jones	Shepherd
Cheek	Kostelka	Smith

Dardenne  
Duplessis  
Dupre  
Total - 38

Lentini  
Malone  
Marionneaux

Theunissen  
Ullo

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Cravins  
Total - 1

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator McPherson moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Senate Bill No. 258 by Senator Boasso

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 258 by Senator Boasso recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That House Committee Amendments No. 1 and 2 proposed by the House Committee on Retirement and adopted by the House of Representatives on June 5, 2006, be rejected.
2. The House Floor Amendments No. 1 through 5 adopted by the House of Representatives on June 16, 2006, be rejected.
3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

On page 1, line 2, after "Section" delete "29(E)(4) and (5)" and insert in lieu thereof "29(E)(5)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 2**

On page 1, line 10 after "Section" delete "29(E)(4) and (5)" and insert in lieu thereof "29(E)(5)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 3**

On page 1, delete lines 15 through 17 in their entirety and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 15 in their entirety

**AMENDMENT NO. 4**

On page 2, line 25 after "**however,**" and before "**no**" insert "**unless approved by the favorable vote of two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature,**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 5**

On page 2, at the beginning of line 26 insert "**such**" and change "**members**" to "**any member**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 6**

On page 2, delete lines 27 and 28 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:  
"**cost shall be approved by the legislature**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 7**

On page 2, line 29 delete "**new, additional**" and after "**source**" and before "**sufficient**" insert "**providing new or additional funds**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 8**

On page 3, line 1, change "**five**" to "**ten**"

**AMENDMENT NO. 9**

On page 3, at the end of line 2 insert "**This Subsubparagraph shall**

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**be implemented as provided by law."**

**AMENDMENT NO. 10**

On page 3 between lines 3 and 4 insert "Section 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this proposed amendment shall become effective on January 1, 2008."

**AMENDMENT NO. 11**

On page 3, line 4 change "Section 2." to "Section3."

**AMENDMENT NO. 12**

On page 3, line 7, change "Section 3." to "Section 4."

**AMENDMENT NO. 13**

On page 3, delete lines 11 through 15 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof "To"

**AMENDMENT NO. 14**

On page 3, line 16 after "that" and before "no" insert a comma "," and "unless approved by the favorable vote of two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature,"

**AMENDMENT NO. 15**

On page 3, line 17 after "cost" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 18 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "shall be approved by the legislature"

**AMENDMENT NO. 16**

On page 3, at the beginning of line 19 delete "or the governor" and after "source" and before "sufficient" insert "providing new or additional funds"

**AMENDMENT NO. 17**

On page 3, line 20 change "five" to "ten"

**AMENDMENT NO. 18**

On page 3, line 21 "Section" delete "29(E)(4) and (5)" and insert in lieu thereof "29(E)(5)"

**AMENDMENT NO. 19**

On page 3 at the end of line 21, insert "(Effective January 1, 2008.)"

Respectfully submitted,

Senators:  
Walter J. Boasso  
D.A. "Butch" Gautreaux  
Robert Marionneaux, Jr.

Representatives:  
Pete Schneider  
Brett Geymann  
Joel Robideaux

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Boasso asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the Conference Committee Report. On motion of Senator Boasso, a vote was taken on the adoption of the report.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll was called with the following result:

**YEAS**

Mr. President	Ellington	Michot
Adley	Fields	Mount
Amedee	Fontenot	Murray
Bajoie	Gautreaux B	Nevers
Barham	Gautreaux N	Quinn
Boasso	Heitmeier	Romero
Broome	Hollis	Schedler
Cain	Jackson	Shepherd
Chaisson	Jones	Smith
Cheek	Kostelka	Theunissen
Dardenne	Malone	Ullo
Duplessis	Marionneaux	

Dupre	McPherson
Total - 37	
	NAYS
Total - 0	
	ABSENT
Cravins	Lentini
Total - 2	

The Chair declared the Conference Committee Report was adopted. Senator Boasso moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and laid the motion on the table.

**Rules Suspended**

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of taking up at this time.

**Introduction of Senate Resolutions**

Senator Bajoie asked for and obtained a suspension of the rules for the purpose of introducing and reading the following Senate Resolutions a first and second time and acting upon them as follows:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 182**

BY SENATOR BAJOIE

**A RESOLUTION**

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Louisiana that a committee of five be appointed by the President of the Senate to serve with a like committee from the House of Representatives to notify the Governor that the Legislature of the State of Louisiana has completed its labors and is now ready to adjourn sine die.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

In compliance with the resolution the President of the Senate appointed the following committee: Senators Ullo, Theunissen, Quinn, Amedee and Barham.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 183**

BY SENATOR BAJOIE

**A RESOLUTION**

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the State of Louisiana that a committee of five be appointed by the President of the Senate to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate has completed its labors and is now ready to adjourn sine die.

On motion of Senator Bajoie, the resolution was read by title and adopted.

In compliance with the resolution the President of the Senate appointed the following committee: Senators Jones, Romero, Dardenne, Duplessis and Dupre.

**Reports of Committees**

The committee to notify the Governor that the Senate had completed its labors and was ready to adjourn sine die returned and reported it had performed that duty. The President of the Senate thanked the Committee and discharged it.

The committee to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate had completed its labors and was ready to adjourn sine die returned and reported it had performed that duty. The President of the Senate thanked the committee and discharged it.

**Committee from the House of Representatives**

A committee from the House of Representatives appeared before the Bar of the Senate and informed the Senate that the House

of Representatives was organized and ready to adjourn sine die.

**Privilege Report of the Committee on  
Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

Senator Jones, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—**

BY SENATOR JONES

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To request the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to meet and function as a joint committee to study the issues related to how to identify and locate displaced Louisiana citizens, how to communicate with such citizens, and what proposals or actions may aid in their return to Louisiana.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—**

BY SENATOR DARDENNE AND REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Louisiana High School Athletic Association (LHSAA) to take certain steps to implement an online anabolic steroid awareness and prevention program, to require an anabolic steroid nonuse contract and consent form and inclusion of steroid testing on the LHSAA parental permission form as required for athletic participation, and to participate in a study to determine the feasibility of the development of other programs to educate and prevent the use of steroids and performance-enhancing supplements by high school athletes.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—**

BY SENATOR BROOME

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Education and the House Committee on Education to meet and function as a joint committee to study and make recommendations regarding the advisability and feasibility of creating the Louisiana Virtual Library Council as a state entity and of providing for an integrated information system which provides access to a virtual library system through a single universal portal.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 117—**

BY SENATOR JONES

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To request the Senate Committee on Judiciary C and the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to meet and function as a joint committee to study issues related to the rate of incarceration in the state and fiscal issues related to the rate of incarceration, and to examine the history of and current sentencing practices of the state and make a report of its findings, together with any recommendations for changes in legislation, to the Louisiana Legislature no later than April 1, 2007.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 125—**

BY SENATOR MURRAY

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the potential legal effects of granting recognition in full faith and credit or comity to the judgments of Indian tribal courts in this state, and to report its findings to the Louisiana Legislature prior to February 1, 2007.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 142—**

BY SENATOR CAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend Robin Briscoe of Anacoco High School upon her selection as a representative of north Louisiana at the Hugh O'Brian World Leadership Congress in Washington, D.C.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 104—**

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to continue the panel of healthcare information technology and fiscal experts who were first convened in July 2005, at the e-Health Information Summit meeting for the purpose of identifying and recommending a method for funding investments in health information technology in both public and private healthcare provider facilities, and to direct the panel to develop recommendations to encourage medical professionals to adopt health information technology in the delivery of publicly and privately funded healthcare services.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 136—**

BY SENATOR ROMERO

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To continue and expand the purpose of the Atchafalaya Parkway Commission in its study for the need to construct and manage improvements to certain highways in the parishes of St. Martin and St. Landry, by including Iberia Parish in such study; to include representation of the parish government of Iberia on the commission; and to require the commission to make recommendations to the Senate and House committees on transportation, highways and public works prior to the commencement of the 2007 Regular Session.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 138—**

BY SENATORS DUPLESSIS AND MURRAY

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To strongly urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to immediately test, with scientists identified by the community, the actual contents and leachate of the Chef Menteur landfill itself.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 143—**

BY SENATORS MALONE, BOASSO, DUPRE, N. GAUTREAUX, ROMERO, MICHOT AND BARHAM

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the division of administration, office of facility and control, the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, division of law enforcement, and Louisiana State University, office of community design and development, to conduct a feasibility study regarding construction of a new law enforcement training facility for the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 144—**

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of John Carter Wilkinson, retired Baton Rouge attorney and businessman.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 145—**

BY SENATOR MURRAY

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the New Orleans Civil Service Commission, in the strongest possible terms, to establish a regular schedule of monthly meeting dates beginning immediately, to provide public notice of such schedule, and to meet on each scheduled date.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 146—**

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To urge and request the Louisiana Recovery Authority to adopt a new plan for recovery that provides for deep recovery and renewal by: providing for homeowner assistance through the use of zero percent loans; including incentives to encourage raising structures above flood levels or relocating to safer ground;

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providing for financial processing by the state's banking community rather than state or federal government agencies; incorporating neighborhood design components which will be attractive to and integrate business and industry; providing partnership opportunities with nonprofit organizations which are actively involved in residential construction or licensed as residential contractors; and encouraging the use of building materials that would produce environmentally friendly and hurricane resistant products.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHARLES D. JONES  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Privilege Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

Senator Jones, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The following Senate Bills have been properly enrolled:

**SENATE BILL NO. 19—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES WALKER AND DURAND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1226.2(B)(1) and (2) and to enact R.S. 37:1226.2(F), (G), (H), and (I), relative to the donation of prescription drugs to free pharmacies; to require free pharmacies to accept certain prescription drugs; to allow dispensing at the discretion of the pharmacist; to provide for mandatory donation of certain prescription drugs to charitable pharmacies under certain circumstances; to provide for a deduction of any such charges when unopened prescription drugs are returned, unused to a pharmacy; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 88—**  
BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1002(6), 1006(A)(1) and (B), 1141.2(B)(10), 1152(J)(3) and (4) and to enact R.S. 11:231(C)(3), relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to reemployment of retirees; to provide for limitation on earnings; to provide for payment to the system of amounts in excess of such limitation; to provide for calculation of average compensation; to provide for the calculation of benefits after participation in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 445—**  
BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:600.6(A)(22) and to enact R.S. 40:600.26(D)(5) and (G) and Chapter 3-C of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 40:600.31 through 600.38, relative to the Louisiana Housing Trust Fund Act of 2003; to provide for a nonprofit corporation to address housing needs as defined in the Road Home Program; to provide for housing needs in declared disaster areas as a result of hurricanes Katrina and Rita; to provide for the priority

of housing citizens who were displaced in a declared disaster area as a result of hurricanes Katrina and Rita; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 666—**  
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2198.11(4) and 2198.12(A) and (D)(1), relative to pain management clinics; to provide for definitions; to provide for licensure; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 695—**  
BY SENATORS CRAVINS AND N. GAUTREAUX AND REPRESENTATIVE DURAND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:392(B)(2)(b) and (C)(2), relative to the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Economic Redevelopment and Gaming Control Act; to provide for the use of a portion of such monies to support functions of the Louisiana Racing Commission; to provide for the establishment of a health and welfare plan for Louisiana jockeys; to provide for the distribution for the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 709—**  
BY SENATOR MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4720.55(D), (E), (F)(1), 4720.57(F), 4720.71(1) through (21) and to enact R.S. 33:4720.57(G), 4720.71(22) through (30), and 4720.71.1, relative to the composition of the board of commissioners of the New Orleans Redevelopment Authority; to provide for the number of commissioners; to provide for the method of appointment of commissioners; to provide for the terms of commissioners; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 703—**  
BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND MOUNT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4547.1(B), 4547.2(B) through (E), and 4547.3 and to enact R.S. 33:4547.1(C) and (D), and 4547.2(F) through (H), relative to performance-based energy efficiency contracts; to provide for award of certain performance-based energy efficiency contracts by political subdivisions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 229—**  
BY SENATORS DARDENNE, BAJOE AND DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10.2(F) and to repeal Article VII, Section 10.11 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to coastal protection and restoration; to provide for the deposit of a portion of the proceeds of any tobacco securitization into the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund; to repeal the Louisiana Coastal Restoration Fund; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 49—**  
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX  
AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2168, relative to courts, appellate procedure and opinions; to provide for posting unpublished opinions of the court on Internet websites; to provide that such opinions may be cited; to provide for the form of such citation; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 58—**  
BY SENATOR FONTENOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2286.1(A) and (B), relative to environmental quality; to provide relative to the voluntary investigation and remediation of immovable property; to provide for a work plan; to provide for submittal and review of such plan; and to provide for related matters.

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**SENATE BILL NO. 269—**BY SENATORS DUPRE AND ROMERO  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(d)(iv), relative to levees; to provide for the contract limit for certain projects providing for the restoration and rehabilitation of certain levees under certain circumstances; to provide for the sunset of such provision; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 548—**BY SENATOR ELLINGTON  
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property in Calcasieu Parish to the Sabine River Authority; to authorize and provide for the transfer of certain property in Caldwell Parish from the state of Louisiana, through the Military Department, to the Caldwell Parish Police Jury; to repeal Act No. 46 of the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 89—**BY SENATOR DUPRE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(T)(2), relative to the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee and Drainage District; to provide for appointment of members to its board of commissioners; to provide for an effective date for such appointments; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 568—**BY SENATOR DARDENNE AND REPRESENTATIVE DURAND  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 35 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2851 and 2852 and to repeal R.S. 40:2155(B)(9), relative to the adoption of rules providing for adult residential facilities and adult residential care homes; to repeal the requirement that the department promulgate rules to prevent facilities from ordering residents to evacuate under certain circumstances; to provide for the adoption of rules for facilities which provide housing or temporary residence for individuals referred by any judicial agency; to provide that the rules shall provide for the construction, standards of operation and services provided by those facilities; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 573— (Duplicate of House Bill No. 1102)**BY SENATOR N. GAUTREUX AND REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN  
AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES HEBERT AND FRITH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:4617(F), relative to the Louisiana Weights and Measures Law; to provide for the commercial use of the terms "Cajun" and "Louisiana Creole"; to provide the legislative determinations; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 454—**BY SENATORS ELLINGTON AND SMITH  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 23-A of Title 3 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:3751 and 3752, relative to the right of Louisiana farmers to supply Louisiana feedstock to renewable fuel manufacturing facilities operating in Louisiana; to encourage the use of Louisiana harvested crops in the production of renewable fuels in Louisiana; to require operators of renewable fuel manufacturing facilities to provide notice of operation and contact information for the purchase of Louisiana feedstock; to require the collection and dissemination of information regarding the purchases of Louisiana feedstock in the manufacture of renewable fuels; to require the collection and dissemination of information regarding the sales of renewable fuels by Louisiana manufacturers; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHARLES D. JONES  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Bills were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Message to the Governor****SIGNED SENATE BILLS**

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To the Honorable Governor of the State of Louisiana:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Bills:

**SENATE BILL NO. 5—**BY SENATOR CAIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 51:1425, relative to unfair or deceptive acts or practices; to prohibit certain disclosures by an Internet service provider; to provide for notices; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 63—**BY SENATOR B. GAUTREUX AND REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2257(F)(2)(b)(introductory paragraph) and to enact R.S. 11:2257(F)(2)(d), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide for payment of interest on plan accounts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 129—**BY SENATOR JONES  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:571.3(B) and (C)(4), relative to execution of sentence; to provide for diminution and commutation of sentence for good behavior; to provide for an increase in the rate of good time earned every thirty days in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 169—**BY SENATOR CHAISSON AND REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:969(G) and (I) and 980(D) and to enact R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(r), relative to court reporter fees in the Twenty-Ninth Judicial District Court; to authorize the judges en banc to set the fees for each page and for each copied page of transcribed testimony; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 353—**BY SENATOR MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:372.1(A) and 392(C)(1) and (2), relative to the Pari-Mutuel Live Racing Facility Economic Redevelopment and Gaming Control Act; to provide for slot machine gaming at an eligible facility; to provide for the maximum number of slot machines at such facility; to provide for the deposit of monies into the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund and the Beautification and Improvement of the New Orleans City Park Fund; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 569—**BY SENATOR MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:734(A) and R.S. 51:1407, relative to the authority of the attorney general in certain emergencies; to authorize certain judicial action by the attorney general during an emergency; to provide for proper venue; and to provide for related matters.

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**SENATE BILL NO. 597—**  
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:154(F), 1303(H), and Part III of Chapter 1 of Title 44 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 44:44 through 49, relative to public records; to provide for a program for maintaining the confidentiality of the residential addresses of program participants; to provide for procedures for applying for such program; to authorize the secretary of state to certify an applicant's participation in the program; to provide for the misdemeanor of false application to the program; to provide for penalties for the misdemeanor; to provide relative to cancellation from the program; to authorize the secretary of state to designate a substitute address for program participants; to authorize a program participant to use the substitute address in filings to a state or local agency in certain circumstances; to authorize the secretary of state to determine the circumstances in which a substitute address may be used; to provide for a program participant who is a registered voter to be eligible to vote absentee by mail; to prohibit a program participant from voting in person at the polls on election day or during early voting; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 611—**  
BY SENATOR ADLEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:306(A)(6) and (9), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide relative to the licensing of qualified truck stop facilities; to require notice to the public prior to application of a truck stop facility for a license to operate video draw poker devices; to provide for signage and zoning requirements; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 613—**

BY SENATOR CHEEK AND REPRESENTATIVE DURAND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2742(B)(introductory paragraph), (1), (2), (4)(introductory paragraph), (5)(a), (b) and (c), (6) and (8) and to enact R.S. 46:2742(B)(5)(d) and (10) and (C), relative to the case mix reimbursement for nursing facilities; to require payment and resource requirement be adjusted quarterly; to provide for a floor for direct care costs; to provide relative to square footage per bed to be allowed; to provide relative to depreciation and a minimum rate of return for facilities; to provide relative to renovations, long-term ownership, and property insurance; to provide relative to pass-through expenses, allowable costs and impact of budget reductions on nursing home reimbursement; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 664—**

BY SENATOR DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1702(D)(2)(a), relative to reclamation and restoration of certain lands; to provide relative to certain powers of the secretary of the Department of Natural Resources; to provide relative to certain agreements concerning the acquisition of land by certain entities for coastal projects; to provide certain requirements, procedures and definitions; to provide for the adoption of rules and regulations; to provide relative to agreements concerning ownership of minerals; to provide certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 691—**

BY SENATOR ADLEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 24:513(F), (G), (H), (I), (J), (K), (L), and (M) and to enact R.S. 24:513(N), relative to audit of certain entities; to provide for an audit of private water supply systems receiving public funds; to provide for the authority of the legislative auditor; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 6—**  
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1614, relative to fire protection; to require all mattresses and box springs sold in Louisiana to be fire retardant; to provide for open flame resistance standards; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 7—**  
BY SENATOR NEVERS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Part XIV-A of Chapter 5 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:557.21 and 557.22, relative to agricultural and seafood products; to require state agencies to assist the Department of Economic Development in the development, registration, and licensing of any trademark or label for use in promoting Louisiana agricultural and seafood products; to authorize the Department of Economic Development to sell licenses for such trademarks or labels; to create the Agricultural and Seafood Products Support Fund; to provide for the use of monies in the fund; to require the promulgation of rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 10—**

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:35.3(F)(2), (I), and (K), relative to penalties for the crime of domestic abuse battery; to provide for enhancement of penalties under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 38—**

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX AND REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2253(A)(2), relative to membership in the Firefighters' Retirement System; to prohibit membership in the system of a person receiving a disability pension from another public retirement system or pension fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 42—**

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1002(6), 1141.2(B)(10), and 1152(J)(3) and (4) and to enact R.S. 11:231(C)(3) and 1195.1, relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to provide for calculation of average compensation; to provide for calculation of benefits upon termination of participation in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan and employment; to provide with respect to methods of financing; to provide for employer contributions; to require continuation of payments to the unfunded accrued liability by contributing employers who terminate employees under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 48—**

BY SENATORS FONTENOT, MOUNT AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1238.1, 1238.2, and 1238.3, relative to public health and safety; to prohibit certain acts without a prescription for legend drugs; to prohibit prescriptions in certain circumstances; to provide for exceptions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 64— (Duplicate of House Bill No. 451)**

BY SENATOR DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVE PITRE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:281(3) and (4) and to enact R.S. 38:249 and R.S. 49:213.10(D), relative to the taking of property for the construction of flood control projects; to provide relative to compensation; to provide relative to determinations and limitations of the amount of compensation; to provide certain conditions, definitions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 101—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:93.11(B), relative to alcoholic beverages; to increase the penalties for selling alcoholic beverages to a minor; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 140—**  
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 9:154(A)(3) and 174, relative to unclaimed property; to reduce the time period under which certain stocks and related distributions are presumed abandoned; to provide relative to the award of attorney fees for enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 156—**BY SENATOR ELLINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 4843(H), relative to the jurisdiction of city courts; to provide relative to the City Court of Winnsboro; to increase the jurisdictional amount in dispute in such court; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 181—**BY SENATOR JONES AND REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER  
AN ACT

To enact Subpart G of Part II of Chapter 6 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:2892.1 through 2892.9, relative to property adjudicated to a municipality; to provide for the authorization of the city of Monroe to adjudicate property; to provide for notice to the owner; to provide for the applicability to redemptive periods; to provide for a deposit of monies sufficient to cover the expenses of the sale, advertisement, taxes due and other costs associated with the sale; to provide for the sale or transfer of adjudicated property; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 241—**

BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2941.1, relative to contracts; to provide relative to bond for deed contracts; to provide relative to recording of such contracts; to prohibit interest for subsequent filings by or against the bond for deed purchaser; to provide for the cancellation of certain mortgage records after registry of the sale of a bond for deed under certain circumstances; to provide relative to cancellation of a bond for deed contract upon default; to provide relative to tax sales; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 18—**BY SENATOR FIELDS AND REPRESENTATIVES GALLOT, JEFFERSON,  
LAFONTA AND LANCASTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:44(A) and (B)(5)(b), the introductory paragraph of 110(B)(1), 197, 401(B), 402(B), the introductory paragraph of (C), (E) and (G), 431(A)(1)(b), 433(G)(1) and the introductory paragraph of (H)(1), 434(A)(1), the introductory paragraph of (C), and (D)(1) and (2), 435(A)(1) and (B), 436, 453, the introductory paragraph of 467, 467(2), 468(A), 481, 491(A) and (C), the introductory paragraph of 552(A), 1272(A), 1278(B), 1279, 1285(B)(1)(a), 1300(C)(1), 1300.7(A), 1306(A)(4) and (C)(2), 1307(A)(8) and (E), 1308(A)(2)(a), 1311(D)(5)(a), 1314(B)(1) and (2) and (C), 1333(D)(1)(e) and (E)(1), 1355(6), 1401(B), 1402(B)(1)(c), 1405(A), 1406(B), 1407, 1409(B)(1) and (2), 1432(A), and 1461(A)(17) and to enact R.S. 18:1275.1 through 1275.24, and to repeal R.S. 18:511(A)(2) and (B)(2) and 512(B)(2), relative to elections; to provide for a party primary system of elections for congressional offices, including provisions to provide for nomination of candidates for general elections for congressional offices by party primary elections, including a first primary election and a second primary election if no candidate receives a majority vote in the first primary election; to provide for the

election of unopposed candidates for congressional offices; for qualification of candidates for congressional office having no party affiliation in the general election; for election in the general election by plurality vote; for voting for congressional offices by a voter registered as affiliated with the party in the party primary elections; to provide for voting of unaffiliated voters in party primaries; to provide for election dates; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 47—**BY SENATORS NEVERS, AMEDEE AND SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:463.131, relative to motor vehicle license plates; to provide for the creation and issuance of Louisiana Thank You! license plates for owners or operators; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 86—**BY SENATORS JONES AND BAJOE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1309(A)(2), and to enact R.S. 18:1309(I), relative to early voting; to provide relative to the time for conducting early voting; to authorize the registrars of voters to utilize commissioners in the conduct of early voting under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 228—**

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 893, relative to suspension and deferral of sentence and probation in felony cases; to provide for suspension of sentence for certain third convictions; to require participation in a drug program; to provide for the period of probation upon completion of participation in a drug program; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 422—**

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 24:515.1, relative to the legislative auditor; to require the legislative auditor to develop a uniform system of reporting all sources of revenue and expenditures relative to judicial district indigent defender boards, funds, and regional defense service centers; to require annual reporting of all major sources of revenues and expenditures through the new audit formats; to provide for uniformity, standardization, and consistency in terminology and classification for annual audit reports; to provide for compliance and reporting schedules; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 496—**

BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:12 and to enact R.S. 29:422(D), relative to military affairs; to provide with respect to the appointment of adjutant generals; to provide for enforcement of Servicemembers Civil Relief Act by the attorney general of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 679—**BY SENATORS MCPHERSON AND NEVERS AND REPRESENTATIVE  
DURAND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1164(37), relative to pharmacy practice; to provide for definitions; to provide for pharmacy collaborative drug therapy management; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 701—**

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:3981(6), relative to charter schools; to require the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to provide certain financial information upon the request of certain school systems; and to provide for related matters.

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SENATE BILL NO. 737—

BY SENATOR JONES AND REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 20-B-1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 17:3042.11, relative to the Teachers Education Trust Fund Incentive Program; to establish the Teachers Education Incentive Program Trust Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide relative to the credit of certain monies to the fund; to require the investment of fund monies; to require that interest earnings on fund monies be deposited in the fund; to provide relative to certain fund balances; to specify the use of fund monies; to establish the Teachers Education Trust Fund Incentive Program; to provide program purposes; to provide definitions; to provide relative to program eligibility; to provide relative to the formulation, development, and approval of program components by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education in cooperation with specified others; to provide relative to program implementation and administration by the Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 30—

BY SENATORS MCPHERSON, BARHAM, BOASSO, CHEEK, DUPRE, MALONE, MICHOT AND MURRAY AND REPRESENTATIVES BALDONE, BAUDOIN, DURAND, FARRAR, FRITH, M. GUILLORY, HEBERT, HILL, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, WALKER AND SCALISE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 41:16 and R.S. 56:109.2, relative to public lands, wildlife management areas, wildlife refuges, public hunting grounds and recreation areas; to provide that hunting and fishing opportunities be a primary consideration in state land management decisions; to require an annual report of public lands, wildlife management areas, wildlife refuges, public hunting grounds and recreation areas that are available for public hunting, fishing, and recreational opportunities; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 155—

BY SENATORS MARIONNEAUX, AMEDEE AND FONTENOT AND REPRESENTATIVES R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, ERDEY, LAMBERT, QUEZAIRE, SMILEY, ST. GERMAIN AND WHITE  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 27-F of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9039.81 through 9039.86, relative to the creation of the Louisiana Capital Area Economic Development Alliance (LACAEDA) Film Commission; to create the Louisiana Capital Area Economic Development Alliance (LACAEDA) Film Commission; to provide for the purposes, powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the commission; to appoint a film commissioner/executive director; to provide relative to employees, funding, and cooperation with state agencies; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 160—

BY SENATOR JONES  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 4-C of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 51:1051 through 1054, relative to establishing an alliance among states affected by hurricanes Katrina and Rita; to provide for the purpose of restoring and revitalizing the states of Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana and Texas; to provide for an alliance between states and agree to the alliance on behalf of Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 183—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:204(B), 1002(6), 1141.2(B)(10), 1147(B)(3) and (C), and 1152(J)(3) and (4) and to enact R.S. 11:231(C)(3), relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to provide for calculation of average compensation; to provide with respect to disability benefits; to provide for eligibility and calculation of such benefits for persons who become members of the system

on or after July 1, 2006; to provide for the calculation of benefits after participation in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 184—

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1002(6), 1141.2(B)(10), and 1152(J)(3) and (4), and 1202(A)(1) and (C), and to enact R.S. 11:231(C)(3), relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to provide for calculation of average compensation; to provide with respect to payment of contributions; to provide for timely remission of contributions by employers; to provide for interest on delinquent contributions; to provide for the calculation of benefits after participation in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 450—

BY SENATOR JACKSON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:2605(B)(41) and to repeal R.S. 46:2605(B)(17) and (35), relative to the Children's Cabinet Advisory Board; to provide for members of such board; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 546—

BY SENATOR MOUNT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:318(B)(2)(a)(ii) and to enact R.S. 47:337.9(F), relative to sales and use taxes; to provide for exemptions from such tax imposed by local governmental subdivisions, school boards, and other political subdivisions whose boundaries are not coterminous with the state; to exempt purchases of prescription drugs purchased through or pursuant to a Medicare Part B and D plan; to provide for the disposition of certain state sales and use taxes deposited in the Marketing Fund; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 607—

BY SENATORS FONTENOT, ADLEY, BOASSO, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, N. GAUTREAUX, HOLLIS AND QUINN AND REPRESENTATIVES HEBERT, RICHMOND, JACK SMITH, TRICHE, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BADON, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BEARD, BRUCE, BURRELL, CAZAYOUX, CHANDLER, CRAVINS, CROWE, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DOERGE, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, DURAND, ERDEY, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GRAY, HILL, HONEY, HUTTER, JACKSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, LABRUZZO, LAFLEUR, LAFONTA, LANCASTER, MARCHAND, MARTINY, MCVEA, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, M. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, TUCKER, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE AND WOOTON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:726(E)(20), 729(E)(13), and 733.1 and to enact R.S. 29:726(E)(21) and 729(E)(14), relative to emergency preparedness; to provide additional authorities and responsibilities to the office of homeland security and emergency preparedness and to parish homeland security and emergency preparedness agencies relative to a disaster operation plan for service animals and household pets; to provide for limitation of liability of emergency personnel and owners and operators of facilities used for shelter of household pets and service animals in emergencies; and to provide for related matters.

SENATE BILL NO. 111—

BY SENATOR NEVERS AND REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:263, relative to secondary education curricula; to provide relative to required courses of study; to require certain topics to be included in certain courses of study; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 73—**

BY SENATOR LENTINI AND REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:5108.3(D), relative to the legal representation of state employees; to provide for representation and indemnification of officers and employees charged with contempt of court; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 194—**

BY SENATOR LENTINI AND REPRESENTATIVE ANSARDI  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Article 615(E), and to enact Children's Code Article 615(F), relative to the Department of Social Services; to provide for the confidentiality and disposition of reports; to provide for the admission of reports in court proceedings; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 262—**

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1902(introductory paragraph), (14), (17), 1938(J)(4), 1941, 1943, 1944, 1961, 1963, and 1964, and to enact R.S. 11:1927(E) and 1935(E), and to repeal R.S. 11:231(A)(8), relative to the Parochial Employees' Retirement System; to provide for eligibility for retirement and calculation of benefits for persons whose system membership begins on or after January 1, 2007; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 318—**

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2258(B)(2)(d), relative to the Firefighters' Retirement System; to provide with respect to disability; to reauthorize conversion of regular retirement to disability retirement; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 331—**

BY SENATOR CAIN  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 14:95(G)(2) and to enact R.S. 40:1379.3.1(A)(3), relative to retired law enforcement officers; to provide for carrying concealed weapons by such persons; to provide for issuance of retiree identification to certain retired law enforcement officers; to provide for payment of concealed handgun permit fees; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 332—**

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1763(F)(2)(introductory paragraph), relative to the Municipal Employees' Retirement System; to provide with respect to interest earnings on Deferred Retirement Option Plan accounts; to provide for daily crediting to individual accounts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 671—**

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX  
AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Art. 372(F), relative to civil procedure; to require that an electronic copy of the transcript be provided to party requesting and paying for paper copy of transcript; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 245—**

BY SENATOR MICHOT  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:2738.85, relative to the sales and use tax of political subdivisions; to authorize certain parishes, and certain municipalities and districts within such parishes, to increase the rate of their sales tax if approved by the appropriate electorate; to provide that such tax authority shall not result in the limitation of prior tax authority; and to provide for related

matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 286—**

BY SENATORS FIELDS, MARIONNEAUX, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, N. GAUTREUX, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, MICHOT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:149.23, relative to the Department of Social Services; to provide for the naming of the floor in the social services building on which the executive offices are located; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 292—**

BY SENATORS FONTENOT, HINES, MOUNT, BAJOIE, NEVERS AND CHEEK AND REPRESENTATIVES SALTER, DORSEY, ALARIO, DEWITT, HAMMETT, JEFFERSON, RICHMOND AND RITCHIE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2014.5, relative to environmental quality, to authorize the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality to develop and implement an expedited permitting processing program; to provide for notice of expedited permit; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 299—**

BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1068(C)(a) and (g), relative to the reduction of premium taxes paid by insurers who make qualified Louisiana investments; to provide that funds may be deposited in a savings bank or trust company; to remove the requirement that insurers deposit funds in certain financial institutions domiciled in Louisiana in order to qualify for the reduction in premium tax; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 393—**

BY SENATOR ELLINGTON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1497, relative to the requirement of a cost-benefit analysis for the procurement of professional, personal, consulting, and social services; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 411—**

BY SENATOR MALONE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:495(A) and (B) and to enact R.S. 18:495(E), relative to actions objecting to candidacy; to provide for the authority of the district attorney and of the attorney general relative to such actions; to provide for the assessment of court costs, including attorney fees relative to certain such actions; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 601—**

BY SENATOR N. GAUTREUX AND REPRESENTATIVES BARROW, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, GRAY, LAMBERT, RITCHIE AND WINSTON  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 5-O of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:380.121 through 380.126, and R.S. 36:744(Z) and 801.19, relative to museums; to establish the Louisiana Military Hall of Fame and Museum in the Department of State; to provide for location of the facility; to provide for a governing board, membership, appointment, and compensation; to provide for duties and powers of the board; to provide for operating funds and appropriations by the legislature; to provide for donations, loans, disposition of property, and use of collections; to provide relative to the authority of the secretary of state with respect to the museum; to provide relative to personnel and budgets of the museum; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 614—**

BY SENATOR BAJOIE AND REPRESENTATIVE DURAND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:2116, 2116.1(2), the introductory paragraph of 2116.1(3) and (3)(e) and (5), 2116.2(A) and (B)(1), (2), (3) and (4), the introductory paragraph of (C) and (C)(1),

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(2), and (3), and (D)(1) and (2), 2116.3(A), 2116.5(A) and (D), relative to the personal care assistants program; to provide for flexibility by Department of Social Services, office of rehabilitation services for the standards of eligibility; to provide for definitions for individuals determined to be in need of personal care assistants; provides for members to the advisory panel to develop criteria for prioritization; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 663—**  
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAU  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 25:214.4, relative to the Vermilion Parish Library Board of Control; to provide for membership and representation on the board; to provide for Senate confirmation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 727—**  
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:382.2(C) and R.S. 39:1533(A) and to enact R.S. 28:771(G) and Chapter 18 of Title 28 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 28:871 through 876, and R.S. 36:254(J) and 258(J), relative to human services; to provide for a self-insurance fund; to create the Northeast Delta Human Services Authority; to provide for powers, duties, and functions of the authority; to create a governing board and provide for membership, powers, duties, and functions; to provide for the transfer of certain powers, duties, and functions from the Department of Health and Hospitals to the authority; to provide for the transfer of employees; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 742— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 105 by Senator Marionneaux)**  
BY SENATORS MARIONNEAU, DARDENNE, FIELDS, JONES, ULLO, HOLLIS, SCHEDLER AND BROOME  
AN ACT

To enact Part LXIII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:1300.251 through 1300.253, 1300.255, 1300.261 through 1300.263, and to repeal Part XLII of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 40:1300.21 through 1300.28, and Part XLIV of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 40:1300.41 through 1300.48, relative to prohibiting and penalizing smoking in certain places; to provide relative to the preservation and improvement of the health, comfort, and environment of the people of the state by limiting exposure to tobacco smoke; to create the Louisiana Smokefree Air Act; to provide relative to purposes, definitions, restrictions, and exceptions; to prohibit certain activity and to provide penalties for violation; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 745— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 516 by Senator Nevers)**  
BY SENATOR NEVERS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1195(A)(5), relative to group self-insurance funds for workers' compensation; to provide with respect to authorization, trade or professional association and initial financial requirements; to provide for the location of arrangements to pool liabilities to employees on account of personal injury and occupational disease arising out of or incurred during the course and scope of the employment relationship; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 476—**  
BY SENATORS CAIN, ADLEY, BARHAM, BROOME, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MICHOT, MOUNT, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVE BAUDOIN  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 32 of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:1280 through 1283, relative to

the religious history of America and of the state of Louisiana as background of American and Louisiana law; to authorize the state archives and records service within the office of the secretary of state to produce certain documents; to distribute certain documents to state offices, judges and clerks of court and local government entities; to authorize court houses and local buildings to post certain documents relative to the history of that heritage; to provide for the production of documents by members of the public; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 753— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 650 by Senator Cravins)**  
BY SENATOR CRAVINS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 23:996, relative to employment of certain aliens; to prohibit the hiring of an alien who is not entitled to lawfully reside or work in the United States; to require the filing of an affidavit with a licensing agency; to provide with respect to an agency, department, board or commission of state or a parish agency to notify the attorney general or local district attorney when an employer who operates a business in the state knowingly employs an alien who is not lawfully entitled to reside or work in the United States; to provide for the attorney general or local district attorney to issue a cease and desist order; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 754— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 100 by Senator Cravins)**  
BY SENATOR CRAVINS  
AN ACT

To enact Part II-H of Chapter 11 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2120.41 through 2120.47, relative to adult day health care providers; to provide for purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for licensure; to provide for rules, regulations, and licensing standards; to provide for license issuance, application, and onsite inspections; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

and they are hereby presented for executive approval.

Respectfully submitted,  
GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

**Message from the House**

**SIGNED HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

June 19, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 3—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT, SALTER, ALARIO, AND DORSEY AND SENATORS HINES, BAJOE, HEITMEIER, AND MOUNT  
AN ACT

To enact the Omnibus Bond Authorization Act of 2006, relative to the implementation of a five-year capital improvement program; to provide for the repeal of certain prior bond authorizations; to provide for new bond authorizations; to provide for authorization and sale of such bonds by the State Bond Commission; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 287—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALKER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3881(A)(2) and to enact R.S. 13:3881(A)(7) and (8), relative to exemptions from seizure; to provide for the exemption from seizure of certain motor

vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 518—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1078(B)(22), relative to fees collected by the commissioner of insurance; to provide for licensing and registration fees for claims adjusters; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 520—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE K. CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1078(B)(22), relative to fees collected by the commissioner of insurance; to provide for licensing fees for public adjusters; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 669—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE M. POWELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:1284(C), relative to proposition elections; to provide for the content of the proposition; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 686—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:100.21, relative to state funds; to extend the effective date of the 2004 Overcollections Fund until June 30, 2007; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 716—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BEARD

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article IV, Sections 15 and 16 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for the filling of a vacancy in a statewide elective office other than the office of governor; to provide for certain procedures and limitations; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 793—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1111(C)(4), relative to completion of certain contracts by an elected official; to provide for an exception to the prohibition against payments for services rendered by a public servant from a prohibited source; to allow an elected official to receive payment for the completion of certain contracts that commenced prior to his initial election to office for a limited period of time; to require notice of such contract to the elected official's governmental entity and the Board of Ethics; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 829—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 665, relative to levees, levee districts, and legal public servitudes; to provide that public servitudes exist for the making and repairing of certain levees; to provide that such servitudes also exist for certain purposes relative to the building and repairing of certain levees and other water control structures; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 870—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DAMICO AND SALTER AND SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2014.5, relative to expedited permits; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality to develop and implement an expedited permitting processing program; to provide for fees paid to the Department of Environmental Quality for processing certain permits; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 922—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1402(6), 1422, 1503(7), 1732(15), 1763(J)(1) and (2), 1902(14), 2031(5), and 2178(B)(1)(b) and (C)(1)(c) and to enact R.S. 11:231(C)(3), (4), and (5), relative to benefits of the state and statewide retirement systems of Louisiana; to provide for definitions; to provide for calculation of average compensation; to provide for the calculation of benefits after participation in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide for applicability and effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1044—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRIS, ARNOLD, GALLOT, JEFFERSON, LANCASTER, MONTGOMERY, PITRE, AND SMILEY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1495.4(H), relative to campaign finance; to provide for the due date of certain campaign finance reports; to provide for an extension of time for candidates in service in the uniformed services; to provide for notice of such service; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1056—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR AND SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To enact Part XXV-F of Chapter 1 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1210.71 through 1210.87, relative to the licensure of claims adjusters; to provide for definitions; to provide for a license; to provide for a license application; to provide for resident and nonresident licenses; to provide for limited licenses; to provide for catastrophe or emergency registration; to provide for examinations and exemptions; to provide for reciprocity; to provide for denial, nonrenewal, or revocation of a license; to provide for continuing education; to provide for referrals by insurers; to provide for standards of conduct; to provide for penalties; to provide for powers of the commissioner of insurance; to provide for regulations; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1168—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH AND SENATORS DARDENNE AND HOLLIS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2218.2(B)(2) and to enact R.S. 33:2002(A)(3) and 2218.2(A)(3), relative to certain firemen and law enforcement officers; to authorize enhancement of the first-year salary of certain firemen and law enforcement officers; to require written disclosure of the temporary nature of such enhancement; to provide relative to reducing the salary of any fireman or law enforcement officer after a year; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1209—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, CAZAYOUX, DEWITT, GALLOT, SALTER, TOOMY, AND TOWNSEND AND SENATORS CHAISSON, HINES, LENTINI, AND MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To appropriate funds to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Judiciary, including the Supreme Court, Courts of Appeal, District Courts, Criminal District Court of Orleans Parish, and other courts; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1213—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE M. POWELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 35:191(P), relative to notaries public; to provide for statewide jurisdiction for certain notaries; to provide for the qualifications to obtain statewide jurisdiction; and to provide for related matters.

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**HOUSE BILL NO. 1215—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 13 of Act No. 465 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature as amended by Act No. 20 of the 2006 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature, relative to revenue sharing; to provide for certain parish allocations for Fiscal Year 2005-2006; to provide with respect to the distribution of certain revenue sharing allocations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1217—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES K. CARTER, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BOWLER, AND WALKER AND SENATOR MURRAY  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 4 of Code Title XIX of Code Book III of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:4241 through 4276, relative to arbitration; to provide for the International Commercial Arbitration Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for court intervention; to provide for arbitration agreements; to provide for the arbitral tribunal; to provide for jurisdiction; to provide procedures; to provide for the making of awards; to provide for settlements; to provide for recourse; to provide for recognition; to provide for enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1240—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1837.1(F) and to enact R.S. 47:1837.1(G) and 6024, relative to ad valorem or personal property taxes imposed by political subdivisions; to exempt cooperative endeavors and joint ventures owned or controlled by rural hospital service districts; to provide for an effective date; to authorize the Louisiana Tax Commission to convey or transfer certain such historical information; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1244—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SALTER, DORSEY, LANCASTER, ARNOLD, AND ALARIO AND SENATORS HINES, BAJOEI, FIELDS, JONES, AND HEITMEIER  
AN ACT

To appropriate funds for Fiscal Year 2006-2007 to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Legislature, including the expenses of the House of Representatives and the Senate, of legislative service agencies, and of the Louisiana State Law Institute; and otherwise to provide with respect to the appropriations and allocations herein made.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1291—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ERDEY, R. CARTER, FAUCHEUX, AND WHITE AND SENATORS ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOEI, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FONTENOT, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JONES, MALONE, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SMITH, THEUNISSEN, AND ULLO  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:155.6, relative to state symbols; to provide the state cultural poem to be "I Am Louisiana" by Paul Ott; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1302—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BURNS, BAUDOIN, BRUCE, K. CARTER, DARTEZ, GRAY, HARRIS, HEBERT, HONEY, LABRUZZO, LANCASTER, ODINET, PIERRE, RICHMOND, JACK SMITH, AND TOWNSEND AND SENATOR MURRAY  
AN ACT

To provide relative to the interruption of prescription for property damage claims related to Hurricanes Katrina and Rita; to establish legislative intent; to provide for the interruption of prescription for one year; to authorize suit for declaratory judgment; to provide an emergency effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 58—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DANIEL AND M. POWELL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 44:12.1, relative to public records; to prohibit the use of only oral contacts and interviews for certain applicants for certain public positions; to provide for the examination, inspection, copying, or reproduction of certain specific records; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 79—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:311.9, relative to the licensing and operation of video draw poker devices; to provide for an exemption from processing fees for new video poker license applications when there is a transfer of ownership among subsidiaries and the corporate structure of a licensee changes; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 293—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES STRAIN, E. GUILLORY, KATZ, MCDONALD, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BARROW, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BURNS, CAZAYOUX, CRAVINS, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DORSEY, DOVE, DURAND, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GRAY, M. GUILLORY, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, JACKSON, KENNEY, LABRUZZO, MARTINY, MONTGOMERY, PIERRE, PITRE, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHE, ROMERO, SALTER, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, TUCKER, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, WINSTON, AND WOOTON AND SENATOR CHEEK  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1299.1(A)(1) and (3) and to enact R.S. 40:1299.1(A)(5), relative to genetic testing for newborns; to add to the tests required to be performed on newborns; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 370—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAMICO  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:851(Q), relative to state group insurance; to provide with respect to certain contributions for premiums for certain persons taking retirement pursuant to Act No. 194 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Legislature; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 397—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 36:458(B), (C), (D), (E), and (F), relative to the offices, purposes, and functions of the Department of Revenue; to modify certain provisions to reflect the agency's current organizational structure and functions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 426—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:308(H), relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide relative to notice to the device owner prior to disabling any video draw poker device; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 553—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 661, 698, and 708 and to enact R.S. 15:283(E), relative to the presence of individuals at adjudications, case reviews, permanency hearings, and court proceedings; to provide for persons who may be present at adjudication hearings, case reviews, and permanency hearings; to provide with respect to protected persons and testimony taken outside of a courtroom; to amend the definition of protected persons to include victims of crime who are fourteen years of age or younger or who have a developmental disability or mental retardation; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 607—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1367(E)(2)(b)(iii) and to enact R.S. 39:1367(E)(2)(b)(iv), relative to state debt; to exclude from the definition of net state tax supported debt certain bonds, notes, certificates, warrants, reimbursement obligations, or other evidences of indebtedness issued to provide relief from the natural catastrophe caused by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita or issued in connection with the financing and funding of the state's account in the Unemployment Trust Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 761—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHNEIDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:148(D), 416(A)(2), 422(C), 424(E), 446(A)(5)(i), and 605(B)(2)(b), to enact R.S. 11:543, and to repeal R.S. 11:417(B) and 453, relative to the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System; to provide for the collection of benefits paid to a member but not due the member; to provide relative to rehired retirees; to provide relative to actuarial purchase of service credit; to provide relative to conversion of annual and sick leave; to provide for reemployment of retirees; to provide relative to public safety services employees upgrade of service credit; to repeal certain provisions relative to transfer of service credit and purchase of credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 778—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUNTER, BAUDOIN, AND THOMPSON  
AN ACT

To enact Part XVI of Chapter 1 of Title XXI of Title 9 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 9:4790, and R.S. 32:708.1, relative to child support; to provide for the collection of past due child support; to authorize the filing of privileges on motor vehicles owned by a party owing past due support; to provide procedures for the filing of judgments; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 849—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Children's Code Articles 1569(B) and 1570.1 and R.S. 46:2135(B) and 2136.1, relative to domestic abuse assistance; to provide for protective orders; to reduce the time periods for hearings; to provide for the payment of attorney fees; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 851—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAMICO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2186(A) and to enact R.S. 30:2011(D)(25), relative to reviews and determination conducted by the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for request for reviews of certain immovable property; to provide for reviews and determinations of environmental media; to provide for fees; to provide for authority to promulgate rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 935—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DANIEL AND BARROW  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 42 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9581, relative to public contracts; to authorize East Baton Rouge Parish to enter into agreements for the maintenance and operation of public facilities related to sewerage and nonpotable water treatment systems; to provide with respect to the content of such contractual agreements; to provide for the disposition and allocation of revenues and assets; to provide for the pledge of revenues; to provide certain immunities from liability; to provide for limitation of liability; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1078—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:969.37(A)(1), (B), (C)(1), (D)(1), (E), (G), and (H), 969.38(A), (B), (C)(1) and (2), and (D), 969.39(A) and (B), 969.40(B), (C), and (D), and 969.41(A), (B), and (C), relative to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Sales Finance Act; to provide for licensing procedures; to provide for denial, suspension, or revocation of licenses; to provide for investigations and complaints; to provide for the powers of the commission; to provide for the penalties imposed by the commission; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1153— (Substitute for House Bill No. 549 by Representative Hopkins)**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HOPKINS, CAZAYOUX, AND WADDELL  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 14:102.21, relative to offenses affecting public sensibility; to create the crime of harboring or concealing an animal which has bitten or inflicted serious bodily injury to a human; to provide for penalties; to provide for definitions; to provide for reports; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1387— (Substitute for House Bill No. 1009 by Representative Toomy)**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TOOMY AND MCVEA  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:2(10) and (17), 85, 142, and 359(B), (C), (D), (E), and (G), to enact R.S. 26:2(21) and (22) and 71(A)(6) and (7), and to repeal Part II-A of Chapter 2 of Title 26 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 26:321 through 327, and R.S. 26:341(A)(5) and (B), relative to wine producers under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law; to provide for definitions; to provide for permits; to authorize a wine producer to sell or serve its product at retail directly to consumers at its winery, at specified other locations, and to directly ship to consumers in Louisiana; to authorize the selling and direct shipment of sparkling or still wine directly to a consumer in Louisiana by a manufacturer or retailer domiciled outside of the state or by a wine producer domiciled inside or outside of the state; to provide for exceptions requiring shipment to a wholesaler; to repeal all provisions of Louisiana's Native Wine Law; to repeal provisions providing for an excise or license tax on native wines; to repeal provisions providing for an additional tax on manufacturers or retailers of sparkling wine or still wine domiciled outside the state who directly ship to a consumer within the state; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 317—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2106(C), relative to the clerks of court in St. Tammany Parish; to specify some organizations to whom the clerk of the city court of Slidell shall remit funds collected to provide shelter for battered and homeless women and their children; to specify the organizations to whom the clerk of the Twenty-Second Judicial District Court in St. Tammany Parish shall remit funds collected to provide shelter for battered and homeless women and their children; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 488—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY AND SENATOR DUPRE  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 36:509(E)(1) and to repeal R.S. 36:509(B)(5), relative to the Hurricane Flood Protection Advisory Commission; to provide for the nature of its placement within the Department of Transportation and Development; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 659—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1004.1(A) and (B)(1), 1004.2, 1006(A) and (B)(2), and 1007(A) and (B) and to enact R.S. 6:1004(D) and 1006(C), relative to the Louisiana Check Cashing Law; to

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provide for change of control provisions; to provide for application and renewal fees; to provide for investigation of violations; to provide relative to application and reapplication for licenses; to provide for hearings for violators; to provide for fees and name and location changes; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 742—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1730.27(B), 1730.35(A) and (C), and 1730.36, relative to state building codes; to provide for effective period of emergency provisions; to provide for application process; to provide for registration; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 850—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES BEARD AND SCHNEIDER  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 18:1505.2(S), relative to campaign contributions from persons who have entered into certain transactions; to prohibit such persons from making contributions to certain elected officials; to prohibit elected officials from accepting campaign contributions from such persons; to provide relative to penalties; to provide relative to definitions; to provide relative to dates of application; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1097—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES LAFLEUR, ALEXANDER, BALDONE, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BURRELL, CAZAYOUX, CRANE, CRAVINS, CROWE, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DOERGE, DORSEY, DOWNS, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FRITH, GLOVER, GREENE, M. GUILLORY, HEBERT, HILL, HUTTER, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNEY, LABRUZZO, MCDONALD, MONTGOMERY, ODINET, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, SALTER, SCALISE, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, WADDELL, WALKER, WHITE, AND WINSTON  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2800.16, relative to a limitation of liability; to provide immunity for the use of force or violence in certain circumstances; to provide for attorney fees; to provide for costs and expenses; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1199—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542(B)(introductory paragraph) and (D) and to enact R.S. 15:542(B)(7), relative to registration of sex offenders; to provide for registration of sex offenders ten days prior to release from confinement from a state correctional facility; to provide for the offender's photograph to be placed on the office of state police's web site; to provide for the initial payment of the registration fee upon release from confinement; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1206—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE  
AN ACT

To require the mayors of certain municipalities within the territorial boundaries of certain airport authorities to be members of the boards of commissioners of such airport authorities; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1256—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:726(E)(20) and to enact R.S. 29:726(E)(21), relative to the duties of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness; to require the office to study the pre-bidding of certain disaster response contracts; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1334—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE AND SENATOR BROOME  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:415.1(C), relative to textbook adoption; to provide for duration of time, locations, and procedures relative to inspection and review of textbooks prior to state adoption; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1384— (Substitute for House Bill No. 928  
by Representative K. Carter)**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE K. CARTER AND SENATOR MURRAY  
AN ACT

To enact Part XXV-F of Chapter 1 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 22:1210.71 through 1210.88, and to repeal R.S. 22:1476, relative to insurance adjusters; to provide for the qualification and license requirements of public adjusters; to provide for definitions; to provide for the requirement of a license; to provide for the application for license; to provide for resident and nonresident licenses; to provide for examinations and exemptions; to provide for reciprocity; to provide for denial, nonrenewal, or revocation of a license; to provide for evidence of financial responsibility; to provide for continuing education; to provide for limitations on contracts between public adjusters and insureds; to provide for retention of records; to provide for standards of conduct; to provide for penalties; to provide for powers of the commissioner of insurance; to provide for regulations; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 347—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE FRITH  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3004(B), relative to impounding livestock found at large; to increase the fee for retrieval of escaped livestock in Vermilion Parish; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 474—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE ERDEY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:423.17, relative to the town of Livingston; to authorize the chief of police of that town to take certain personnel actions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 772—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES CROWE, BRUCE, DOWNS, FRITH, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, MORRISH, JACK SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, AND STRAIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:2365, relative to the creation of the Louisiana Pet Registry; to provide for registration requirements; to provide relative to identification numbers; to provide relative to fees; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1028—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOPKINS  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:808(A)(11) and 851(Q), relative to state group benefits programs; to provide that certain former members of the legislature shall be eligible for group benefits programs; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1178—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVES TOOMY, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, BURRELL, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CROWE, DAMICO, DARTEZ, DOERGE, DURAND, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOT, HARRIS, HEBERT, HILL, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LAMBERT, MARTINY, ODINET, PINAC, PITRE, M. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TRICHE, TUCKER, WALKER, WALSWORTH, AND WHITE AND SENATORS AMEDEE, CHAISSON, DARDENNE, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAUX, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, LENTINI, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, AND ULLO  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:11(A)(1), relative to the annual salary of assistant district attorneys paid by the state; to provide for an increase in salary; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1223—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 35:71(A)(1) and (E) and to enact R.S. 35:191(A)(3), relative to notaries public; to provide relative to the suspension of a notarial commission and the removal of certain penalties; to provide for the definitions of "valid notarial commission" and "validly appointed notary public"; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1262—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES SALTER, BURNS, R. CARTER, CURTIS, DOERGE, DURAND, GRAY, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, JACKSON, KATZ, LABRUZZO, MCDONALD, JOHN SMITH, STRAIN, WADDELL, WINSTON, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ARNOLD, BADON, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BURRELL, CAZAYOUX, CHANDLER, CRAVINS, CROWE, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GLOVER, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, HUNTER, HUTTER, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, MARCHAND, MORRISH, ODINET, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, ROMERO, SCALISE, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, TUCKER, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, AND WOOTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:153.3(B)(1), relative to the Louisiana medical assistance program; to provide for reimbursement for prescription drugs; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1380— (Substitute for House Bill No. 1181 by Representative LaBruzzo)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LABRUZZO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 8:655(C) and (D) and R.S. 37:876(F) and (G), relative to funeral homes; to provide for a child's right to view the body of a deceased parent; to provide for exceptions; to provide for a civil action; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1386— (Substitute for House Bill No. 808 by Representative Hopkins)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOPKINS

AN ACT

To enact Part VII of Chapter 17 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:2501, relative to animal control agency officers; to authorize the appointment of certain animal control officers by parish governing authorities in certain parishes; to provide for qualifications; to provide for enforcement powers; to provide for P.O.S.T. certification; to provide for limitations; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1399— (Substitute for House Bill No. 974 by Representative Gray)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY AND SENATORS MURRAY AND SHEPHERD

AN ACT

To enact Part VIII of Chapter 14 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:5001 through 5003, relative to inclusionary zoning for affordable housing; to authorize and permit any municipality or parish with land use or zoning ordinances or regulations to adopt ordinances for inclusionary zoning for affordable housing; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1403— (Substitute for House Bill No. 1318 by Representative Harris)**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HARRIS, RICHMOND, AND SCALISE AND SENATORS B. GAUTREAUX, JACKSON, MURRAY, AND SHEPHERD

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 230.1(A) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 334.1, relative to arrest; to provide for the maximum time for appearance before a judge for the purpose of appointment of counsel for persons held in custody who are incapacitated or unconscious and unable to appear; to provide that a person arrested for a felony offense involving a firearm shall not be released on their own recognizance; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 126—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES TOOMY, MARTINY, TRICHE, AND WALSWORTH AND SENATORS JONES AND LENTINI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:48, relative to the salary of judges of the supreme court, courts of appeal, district courts, parish courts, and city courts; to provide for an increase in the salary paid for by the state as recommended by the Judicial Compensation Commission; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 290—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND AND SENATORS N. GAUTREAUX AND ROMERO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:219(C), relative to unlawful solicitation of employment for legal representation by an attorney; to increase the penalties for unlawful solicitation for legal representation; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 367—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFONTA

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:861(A)(2), relative to compulsory motor vehicle liability security; to provide an exemption for water-damaged vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 791—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES LANCASTER, SMILEY, ALARIO, DEWITT, DORSEY, HAMMETT, JEFFERSON, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, SALTER, SCALISE, AND SCHNEIDER AND SENATORS BAJOIE, HINES, MOUNT, NEVERS, AND DARDENNE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 25:1223(E) and 1224(A)(introductory paragraph) and (13) and R.S. 46:2674(A)(2), to enact R.S. 36:209(H)(3) and 259(D), and to repeal Part X of Chapter 5 of Title 3 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 3:551.81 through 551.85, R.S. 23:103, R.S. 25:1222(C) and 1223.1, Chapter 30 of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 25:1261 through 1264, Part I of Chapter 6 of Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 30:401, R.S. 36:109(G)(2), 209(I), (R), (T), and (Y), 239(C), 259(HH), 309(H), 359(H), 629(E)(2), 744(K), 802.13, 802.20, and 919.5, R.S. 38:291(J) and 421(I), Chapter 15 of Title 41 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 41:1751 through 1753, Chapter 8-I of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 45:844.21 through 844.25, R.S. 46:2675, Chapter 7 of Subtitle III of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 47:2341 through 2347, Part VI-D of Chapter 1 of Title 48 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 48:109.1, R.S. 49:229.1, Chapter 40 of Title 51 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 51:2401 through 2406, and Act No. 319 of the 1977 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to boards, commissions, districts, authorities, and like entities; to abolish certain boards, commissions, districts, authorities, and like entities; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Louisiana Pork Promotion Board; to remove references to and provisions for the Louisiana-Mississippi Tangipahoa River Waterway Compact; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the North Bossier Levee District; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the 211 Planning Advisory Board, including certain duties of the Public Service Commission relative to the study of and reports relative to a 211 information and referral system; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Louisiana Advisory Committee on Assisted Living; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Education Facilities Trust Fund District and its board of trustees; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Louisiana Private Employment Service Advisory Council; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Louisiana Purchase Commemorative Act Commission; to remove certain references to the Louisiana Biomedical Research and Development Park Commission and the Louisiana Litter

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Reduction and Public Action Commission; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Atchafalaya Trace Advisory Board; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Eastern New Orleans Interstate Oversight Commission; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the First Stop Shop Coordinating Council; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Manchac Parkway and its commission; to remove references to, provisions for, and the powers, functions, and duties of the Red River Development Council; to remove provisions for the Pointe Coupee-West Feliciana Bridge, Ferry, and Tunnel Authority; to abolish the Louisiana Unmarked Burial Sites Board and provide that its powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities are transferred to the secretary of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to abolish the Rural Health Care Authority and provide that its powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities are transferred to the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 971—

BY REPRESENTATIVES QUEZAIRE, DANIEL, DOVE, DOWNS, ERDEY, M. GUILLORY, KATZ, KENNARD, SMILEY, AND TUCKER AND SENATOR ELLINGTON

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:163.1(A)(1)(a) and to enact R.S. 32:2(F) and Chapter 18 of Title 32 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 32:1801, relative to motor carriers; to designate the Public Service Commission as the agency to enforce, administer, and collect fees pursuant to the Single State Registration Program; to designate the Department of Public Safety and Corrections as the state agency to administer the Unified Carrier Registration Agreement; to provide for the authority of the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide for assistance to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections by the Public Service Commission; to provide for the collection of fees pursuant to such agreement and their use and distribution; to authorize the secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to enter into certain agreements; to provide for certain limitations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1172—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ARNOLD, BALDONE, BAUDOIN, BEARD, BOWLER, K. CARTER, CHANDLER, CRANE, CURTIS, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DORSEY, DOWNS, FANNIN, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, HAMMETT, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNEY, LANCASTER, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MORRISH, PIERRE, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, RICHMOND, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, STRAIN, THOMPSON, WADDELL, WALSWORTH, WINSTON, AND WOOTON AND SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2182 and R.S. 39:1518.1 and 1658, relative to public contracts and procurement; to require certain information be furnished with respect to certain contracts let during a state of emergency; to provide for notification to contractors; to provide for the maintenance of a list or registry of such information; to provide for the crime of failure to submit such required information; to provide for penalties; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1173—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CROWE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:279(A) and 443(A), relative to highway construction by the Department of Transportation and Development; to provide relative to the hours when construction may be done on certain highways; to provide relative to the number of persons making real estate estimates for the department when expropriating property under certain circumstances for highway purposes; to provide relative to the persons authorized to make such estimates; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1287—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GRAY, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ARNOLD, BALDONE, BARROW, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BURRELL, K. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CHANDLER, CRAVINS, CURTIS, DEWITT, DOERGE, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, DURAND, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOT, GLOVER, E. GUILLORY, HARRIS, HEATON, HILL, HONEY, HUNTER, HUTTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNEY, LAFONTA, MARCHAND, MARTINY, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, PIERRE, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, ROMERO, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TUCKER, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, AND WINSTON AND SENATORS BROOME AND MOUNT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:1687, relative to tuition and fee exemptions at public postsecondary education institutions; to exempt certain persons previously in the state's foster care program from the payment of tuition and mandatory fee amounts at such institutions; to provide eligibility criteria; to provide for the duration of such exemptions; to provide for verification of foster care status; to provide for effectiveness; to provide relative to implementation; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1354—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GRAY, K. CARTER, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BARROW, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BOWLER, BRUCE, BURNS, BURRELL, CHANDLER, CRAVINS, CURTIS, DAMICO, DARTEZ, DORSEY, ERDEY, FANNIN, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOT, E. GUILLORY, HARRIS, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, KATZ, LABRUZZO, LAFONTA, LANCASTER, MARCHAND, MARTINY, MONTGOMERY, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, SALTER, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSWORTH, AND WOOTON

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 32 of Title 25 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 25:1301 through 1307, and R.S. 36:4(B)(1)(o), relative to the Hurricane Katrina Memorial Commission; to create and provide for the membership, powers, and duties of the commission; to provide for donations and grants; to provide for a commission report and termination of the commission; and to provide for related matters.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Bills and Joint Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

Message from the House

SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 118—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARNOLD

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the nine statewide public retirement systems to direct at least ten percent of certain trades and commissions through broker-dealers who have been incorporated, domiciled, or who have had their principal trading operations in Louisiana for at least two years as required by law applicable to the four state retirement systems, provided no additional costs are incurred by the systems.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 119—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORRISH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Office of Group Benefits to conduct a study of Health Access Louisiana (HAL), a proposal for health coverage reform in the state.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 127—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND, CURTIS, DOERGE, GRAY, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, KATZ, MCDONALD, JOHN SMITH, STRAIN, AND WADDELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Louisiana Health Care Redesign Collaborative for the purpose of advising the Department of Health and Hospitals (DHH) in the development and implementation of a practical blueprint for an evidence-based, quality driven health care system for the Orleans Region consisting of the parishes of Orleans, Jefferson, St. Bernard, and Plaquemines, to assist in guiding overall health care policy and system development in Louisiana.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 315—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to consider certain traffic management alternatives to alleviate traffic congestion in the Baton Rouge Metropolitan Area.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 316—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Veterans Affairs to encourage the employers of the state of Louisiana to recognize the importance of veterans having days off for the observance of Veteran's Day and Memorial Day.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 318—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Louisiana professional fire fighters for their heroic actions during and after Hurricanes Katrina and Rita and to recognize Monday, June 19, 2006, as Louisiana Professional Fire Fighters Day.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 319—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOWNS  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Mr. James Pierce Hill, Sr.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 290—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE CRANE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To provide for legislative approval of the formula to determine the cost of a minimum foundation program of education in all public elementary and secondary schools as well as to equitably allocate the funds to parish and city school systems as developed by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and adopted by the board on June 5, 2006.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 193—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PITRE AND SENATOR DUPRE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To approve the Fiscal Year 2006-2007 Coastal Wetlands Protection and Restoration Plan as adopted by the Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority (authority).

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 232—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES M. POWELL, BURNS, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, AND WHITE AND SENATORS CHEEK AND JACKSON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness to facilitate, coordinate, and assist the prompt and timely payment of ambulance services rendered during the aftermath of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita and further to request that the office develop policies to coordinate the

expeditious allocation and payment of emergency ambulatory services for future declared disasters.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 310—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JANE SMITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Robbie Dean of Airline High School upon his selection as a representative of north Louisiana at the Hugh O'Brian World Leadership Congress in Washington, D.C.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 311—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES BURNS AND SCALISE  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request insurance companies to waive any and all one-year prescriptive periods and allow suits resulting from gubernatorially declared disasters to be brought within twenty-four months of the declaration.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 312—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES GLOVER, SALTER, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BARROW, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BEARD, BOWLER, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, BURNS, BURRELL, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CHANDLER, CRANE, CRAVINS, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DOERGE, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOT, GEYMANN, GRAY, GREENE, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, HUNTER, HUTTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAFLEUR, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, LANCASTER, MARCHAND, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, MORRISH, ODINET, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, ROMERO, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, TRICHE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, WINSTON, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS JACKSON, HINES, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAUX, N. GAUTREAUX, HEITMEIER, HOLLIS, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN, AND ULLO  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Gina Denise Glover, to extend appreciation for her accomplishments and contributions, and to recognize that her legacy shall live forever in the minds and hearts of all who knew and loved her.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 317—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Labor's office of workforce development to study the Louisiana job market and assess the types of occupations currently in demand.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 320—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES RICHMOND, BADON, BARROW, BAYLOR, BURRELL, K. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CRAVINS, CURTIS, DORSEY, GALLOT, GLOVER, GRAY, E. GUILLORY, HARRIS, HONEY, HUNTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, KENNARD, LAFLEUR, LAFONTA, MARCHAND, PIERRE, AND QUEZAIRE AND SENATORS ADLEY, BAJOIE, BROOME, CRAVINS, DUPLESSIS, FIELDS, JACKSON, JONES, MARIONNEAUX, MURRAY, AND SHEPHERD  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Mr. Xavier Carter for his outstanding accomplishments at the 2006 NCAA Outdoor Track and Field Championships.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 321—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DAMICO AND WOOTON AND SENATOR FONTENOT  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to authorize and fund the testing and evaluation to determine environmental impacts and safety of equipment to efficiently combust construction and demolition debris and reduce emissions associated with such incineration.

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**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 322—**  
BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Department of Homeland Security, through Secretary Michael Chertoff, to increase the level of funding for Citizen Corps emergency preparedness education programs.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Adjournment**

Senator Bajoie moved that the Senate adjourn sine die.

The President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned sine die.

GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

GAYE F. HAMILTON  
Journal Clerk

**Post Session Legislative Actions**

Following final adjournment, the instruments contained in the following messages were acted upon on the dates indicated.

**Privilege Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

Senator Jones, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 20, 2006

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 131—**  
BY SENATOR QUINN  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request the Senate Committee on Insurance and the House Committee on Insurance to meet and function as a joint committee to study property insurance issues including but not limited to the current and future availability and affordability of property insurance for the citizens of Louisiana and the problems involving claim adjustments and coverages for damages resulting from Hurricane Katrina and Hurricane Rita and to report its findings to the legislature, with any recommendations for legislation, prior to the next regular session.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 137—**  
BY SENATOR HINES  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To repeal Joint Rules No. 5, 7, 9, 11, and 17 of the Joint Rules of Order of the Senate and the House of Representatives; to remove provisions relative to duplicate bills; to remove a

prohibition on legislative committee meetings being held during a specified annual orientation conference; to remove provisions relative to certain certificates; to remove certain provisions relative to time limitations on the passage of the capital outlay bill; and to remove provisions relative to symbolic notes.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHARLES D. JONES  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Concurrent Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Privilege Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

Senator Jones, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 20, 2006

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The following Senate Bills have been properly enrolled:

**SENATE BILL NO. 81—**  
BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3662(H)(1), relative to conducting telephone hearings; to provide for the appearance under certain circumstances of law enforcement officers or fire service personnel as witnesses in certain administrative hearings for the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide relative to the receipt of witness fees by such persons; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 204—**

BY SENATORS CHEEK AND ELLINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVES GLOVER AND GRAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:248 and R.S. 33:2581.1, relative to financial security of certain firemen; to provide for cost-of-living adjustments for surviving spouses of certain law enforcement officers; to provide that the development of hearing loss while employed in the classified fire service is an occupational disease; to provide for benefits to an affected employee; to create a rebuttable presumption that such hearing loss developed during employment under certain circumstances; to require certain persons appointed to the classified fire service to submit to certain examinations; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 222—**

BY SENATOR MOUNT AND REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:402(B)(1)(a) and (c), 416, 417(A), and 427(A)(1), and to enact R.S. 14:92.2(A)(4) and (B)(3) and R.S. 32:417(D) and (E), relative to motor vehicles; to increase the penalties for any unlicensed person who operates a motor vehicle; to increase the penalties for any person who allows an unlicensed minor to operate a motor vehicle; to provide for penalties when an unlicensed person is involved in an accident which results in the serious bodily injury or death of another person; to provide for the improper supervision of a minor by a parent or legal custodian; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 226—**

BY SENATORS N. GAUTREUX AND MARIONNEAUX AND REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2582(A) and 2583(A) and to repeal R.S. 13:2583(D), relative to qualifications for the offices of justice of the peace and constable; to provide for qualifications of office; to repeal provisions that provide that a constable shall not remain in office beyond his seventy-fifth birthday and exceptions for certain constables in office on August 15, 1995; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 338—**

BY SENATOR AMEDEE AND REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4207 and 4611(1)(b), relative to powers of judges; to provide relative to rendition of judgments; to provide relative to oral judgment in open court; to require written judgments when oral reasons for judgment are not rendered; to provide for an extension of such time limits under certain circumstances; to provide for the penalties a judge may impose after adjudicating a person guilty of contempt of court; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 451—**

BY SENATOR BROOME

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact Part VI-B of Chapter 20 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1742.1, relative to providing information and making recommendations of lifestyle modifications, food, dietary supplements, or homeopathic remedies; to provide with respect to disclosure by certain individuals who provide such information recommendations; to provide for information to be disclosed in the disclosure; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 453—**

BY SENATOR MALONE

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:83(F)(5), relative to oil and gas agreements; to provide relative to oilfield site restoration; to provide relative to certain powers of the Oilfield Site Restoration Commission; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 482—**

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2179.2, relative to direct service workers; to provide that the Board of Examiners of Nursing Facility Administrators is authorized to operate and maintain the Direct Service Worker Registry through an interagency agreement with the Department of Health and Hospitals; to authorize the board to issue certificates or certification cards and to charge an amount for providing them; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 522— (Duplicate of House Bill No. 817)**

BY SENATOR CHEEK AND REPRESENTATIVE HOPKINS

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:326, relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide with respect to promoting and encouraging the play of video draw poker devices; to provide for a restriction on the offering of food or beverages free of charge; to provide for applicability; to limit the value of the promotion; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 545—**

BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.23(B), 302.26(D), and 322.37, relative to the disposition of certain collections from the sales of services; to provide with respect to the disposition of the avails of the tax on the sales of services in Vermilion Parish and St. Tammany Parish; to provide for effectiveness provisions, and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 583—**

BY SENATOR FONTENOT

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2413.1, relative to environmental quality; to require the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality to develop and implement a comprehensive debris management plan for certain debris generated by natural disasters; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 612—**

BY SENATORS MOUNT, BROOME, CHAISSON AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVES DORSEY AND SCHNEIDER

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 895.1(F)(introductory paragraph) and (4) and R.S. 15:542(B)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(e), R.S. 32:412(I), R.S. 40:1321(J), and Chapter 24-C of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2528, relative to sexual offenders; to require a restriction code which declares that a driver's license holder is a sex offender; to provide for a Predator Alert System; to provide for notice provided by sex offenders to be published in newspapers in addition to the official journal of the parish; to increase certain fees payable to the Sex Offender Registry Technology Fund as a condition of probation for persons convicted of sex offenses; to provide for appropriations from the fund and specifies uses thereof; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 624—**

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON AND REPRESENTATIVE DURAND

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:2(21) and (22)(b), 52(D) and (H)(2)(b), 53(B)(1), 53(B)(2)(a) and (b), (F), (G)(1)(d), (K)(1)(a) and (c), and (O)(2), 53.2(C), 55(I)(1)(a) and (c), 63(A)(1) and (B), 96.1(A), (E) and (F), 171(D)(3), (5) and (8), (G), (N), and (P) and to enact R.S. 28:2(30), (31), and (32), and 51.1, relative to mental health; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of physicians, psychologists, medical psychologists, and psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners, and primary care providers; to provide for definitions; to provide for staff membership or certain institutional privileges of medical psychologists and psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners in a treatment facility; to add duties and responsibilities of medical psychologists, psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners, and primary care providers; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 749— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 335 By Senator Nevers)**

BY SENATORS NEVERS AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALEXANDER, CHANDLER, DOWNS, FANNIN, KENNEY, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, RITCHIE, THOMPSON AND TRAHAN

## AN ACT

To enact Subpart A-3 of Part III of Chapter 1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:187.1 through 187.5, relative to public schools and school children; to provide for articulated and reciprocal technical training for shared students; to provide legislative findings and purposes; to provide definitions; to provide for the establishment of programs of dual enrollment of students in public secondary schools and institutions under the jurisdiction of the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges, city, parish, and other local public school boards, and the governing boards of public schools not under the jurisdiction of a local board; to provide relative to the funding for dual enrollment; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 723—**

BY SENATORS MALONE AND ADLEY AND REPRESENTATIVES HOPKINS, MONTGOMERY, JANE SMITH AND WADDELL

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3158(A) and (C) and to enact R.S. 34:3158(D), relative to the Caddo-Bossier Parishes Port Commission; to provide relative to the composition,

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membership, powers, duties, and functions of the port commission; and to provide for related matters.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHARLES D. JONES  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Bills were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Privilege Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

Senator Jones, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

June 20, 2006

To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The following Senate Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 21—**  
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

A RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt Senate Rule 12.12(A) and (C) of the Rules of Order of the Senate; to provide that the motion to suspend the requirement that the question of consideration of a conference committee report lie over until the next legislative day is a debatable motion and to provide certain procedures for certain limited conference committee reports and other specified reports received on the last day of a session.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 109—**

BY SENATORS ULLO, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH AND THEUNISSEN

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Father Emil Fardellone, S.D.B., for his many years of significant achievement and to recognize and record his myriad accomplishments and his remarkable contributions to the St. Rosalie Church and school, and to the West Bank community of Jefferson Parish and to Louisiana.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 110—**

BY SENATORS ULLO, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH AND THEUNISSEN

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Father Jim Curran, S.D.B., for his many fruitful and faithful years of significant achievement and to recognize and record his myriad accomplishments and his remarkable contributions to the St. Rosalie Church, and school, and to the West Bank community of Jefferson Parish, and to Louisiana.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 111—**

BY SENATOR BARHAM

A RESOLUTION

To commend Kirsti Paige Plunkett for her extraordinary writing abilities in winning the 2006 National Patriot's Pen essay competition and thereby bringing great credit and recognition to her, her family, community, and school.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 106—**  
BY SENATOR DUPRE

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Natural Resources and the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works, to meet and function as a joint committee, to study the feasibility of establishing a standing committee on coastal protection and restoration and, if it is determined to be feasible, to recommend the proposed membership and subject matter jurisdiction of such committee.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 112—**

BY SENATORS MURRAY, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO

A RESOLUTION

To commend secretary of state Al Ater for his outstanding job on election days in New Orleans on April 22 and May 20, 2006; to recognize and record for posterity his extraordinary efforts to ensure fairness, accessibility, and accuracy in the election, and to express appreciation to him and his staff.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 113—**

BY SENATOR JONES

A RESOLUTION

To commend Leatrice Vital Cretchen of Iowa, Louisiana, on the occasion of her ninetieth birthday and to celebrate her life of unselfish service and devotion to her church and to her community.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 114—**

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To commend the National Black Home Educators and to recognize the benefits of home education and the positive and successful learning experience that it provides for many African-American families in Louisiana and the nation.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 115—**

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A RESOLUTION

To direct the division of administration, state land office, to make accessible to the public information on the inventory of state water bottoms, including access to any maps or interactive programs showing public lands or water bottoms.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 119—**

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

A RESOLUTION

To commend Leslie S. Kleinpeter upon being selected as Senior High School Teacher of the Year for 2006 in West Baton Rouge Parish and to recognize her innovative teaching skills.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 120—**

BY SENATOR BROOME

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Insurance to meet and to study the feasibility of requiring insurance companies to cover surgical treatment for morbid obesity and to report its findings to the legislature prior to the beginning of the 2007 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 121—**

BY SENATOR QUINN

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to study and make recommendations to certain exceptions to the Code of Governmental Ethics.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 123—**

BY SENATOR BARHAM

## A RESOLUTION

To commend United States Senators Thad Cochran of Mississippi and Ken Salazar of Colorado for assisting Louisiana officials in securing \$58.25 million dollars for the recovery of the Louisiana criminal justice system.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 124—**

BY SENATOR HINES

## A RESOLUTION

To commend the staff members of the Louisiana Rural Water Association for their outstanding response to hurricanes Katrina and Rita.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 126—**

BY SENATOR BOASSO

## A RESOLUTION

To commend Leoncio "Chris" Roussel for a lifetime of dedicated community service to the needy and elderly citizens of St. Bernard Parish and to pay tribute to his unselfish acts of kindness.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 127—**

BY SENATOR BOASSO

## A RESOLUTION

To commend Samantha Perez on her numerous achievements and accomplishments and on receiving the prestigious "The Professor Mel Williams Award" for writing.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 128—**

BY SENATOR THEUNISSEN

## A RESOLUTION

To express the support of the Louisiana Senate for and to urge and request continued participation in the America's Legislators Back to School Program, sponsored by the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL).

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 130—**

BY SENATOR BARHAM

## A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the LSU Board of Supervisors to consider naming the appropriate building in honor and recognition of the first president of what would later become Louisiana State University, William Tecumseh Sherman.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 131—**

BY SENATOR ROMERO

## A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Senate of Louisiana upon the death of Allan B. Durand, former sheriff of St. Martin Parish, who died at age eighty-seven on June 10, 2006, in Lafayette, Louisiana.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 116—**

BY SENATOR BARHAM

## A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Billy Wayne Dartlone.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 117—**

BY SENATORS ULLO, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOEI, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAU, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH AND THEUNISSEN AND REPRESENTATIVE TRICHE

## A RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to appropriate sufficient funding for the recovery of the shrimp industry and to vote against the repeal of the "Byrd Amendment."

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 118—**

BY SENATOR HINES

## A RESOLUTION

To commend the Society of Consulting Psychology, the Society for Industrial and Organizational Psychology, Louisiana State University at Alexandria, the University of New Orleans, and Tulane University for their collective support and pro bono services during recovery efforts of hurricanes Katrina and Rita.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 122—**

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

## A RESOLUTION

To commend Patricia Angelico Faxon on more than thirty-two years of outstanding service and dedication to the state of Louisiana, the former Department of Health and Human Resources, and the Department of Health and Hospitals, more recently as the director of Legislative and Intergovernmental Relations, and to congratulate her on the occasion of her much deserved retirement.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 125—**

BY SENATOR BROOME

## A RESOLUTION

To request the Senate Select Committee on Women and Children to meet and form a task force to study the feasibility of prohibiting the sale of human eggs and to report its findings to the legislature prior to the convening of the 2007 Regular Session.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 132—**

BY SENATOR BARHAM

## A RESOLUTION

To commend Thomas Armistead Johnson for being selected as a delegate to attend the 44<sup>th</sup> Annual United States Senate Youth Program in Washington, D.C.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 133—**

BY SENATOR JONES

## A RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Donald Delahoussaye.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 134—**

BY SENATOR MOUNT

## A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the committee created by the Louisiana State Law Institute in response to Senate Resolution No. 60 of the 2005 Regular Session to continue its study of the feasibility of a parent coordination act.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 135—**

BY SENATOR SMITH

## A RESOLUTION

To commend the Louisiana Moral and Civic Foundation, and its executive director, Dr. Ken Ward.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 136—**

BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAU

## A RESOLUTION

To commend the occasion of the thirtieth anniversary of the Harden family ministering to the spiritual needs of its many church members in St. Mary Parish.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 137—**

BY SENATORS HINES, N. GAUTREAU AND CRAVINS

## A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate the Louisiana State University at Eunice Bengals baseball team on their incredible journey during the 2006 season and for winning the National Junior College Athletic Association Division II World Series championship.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 138—**

BY SENATOR BARHAM

## A RESOLUTION

To commend Tanna Caroline Dartlon for being named Louisiana Regional Student of the Year by the State of Louisiana Department of Education.

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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 139—
BY SENATOR FONTENOT
A RESOLUTION
To commend Lieutenant Colonel Mark Oxley, on thirty-one years of service to the Louisiana State Police and congratulate him on his much deserved retirement.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 141—
BY SENATORS MALONE, BARHAM, BOASSO, DUPRE, N. GAUTREAU, MCPHERSON, MICHOT AND ROMERO
A RESOLUTION
To memorialize the Congress of the United States to authorize appropriations for the cooperative enforcement initiative in the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Reauthorization Act of 2006 (Act) for five years at increasing levels of funding each year.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 145—
BY SENATOR JACKSON
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Ms. Nevada Williams Walker on her much deserved retirement.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 146—
BY SENATOR HINES
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Senator Philip C. Jimeno on his much deserved retirement from the Maryland General Assembly.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 147—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS
A RESOLUTION
To proclaim the month of May as Zydeco Appreciation Month (ZAM) in Louisiana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 149—
BY SENATOR CRAVINS
A RESOLUTION
To recognize June twenty-fifth as "Clifton Chenier Day."

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 150—
BY SENATOR BROOME
A RESOLUTION
To commend and congratulate Marta-Ann Schnabel on being the first woman president of the Louisiana State Bar Association.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 158—
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to study the feasibility of and make recommendations relative to permitting an individual surety on bonds required for public works contracts.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 142—
BY SENATOR BARHAM
A RESOLUTION
To commend Louisiana State University track star Xavier Carter for making American track and field history by winning four NCAA titles at the 2006 National Outdoor Championships.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 143—
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAU
A RESOLUTION
To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Paul Piazza.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 144—
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAU
A RESOLUTION
To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Doyce D. "D.D." Morton, Jr.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 148—
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Mrs. Ethel Thompson-Henderson for her faithful service and dedication to the community and for her many accomplishments within the Thompson Temple Church of God in Christ.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 151—
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Deacon Leonard Tracy Watkins of the Greater Mount Calvary Church upon his many accomplishments.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 152—
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Ernest "Sarge" Jones of the Second Zion Baptist Church for his many accomplishments.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 153—
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Brother Ervin Riley of the Mount Hermon Baptist Church upon his many accomplishments.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 154—
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Ms. Annie Toliver for her faithful service and dedication to the community and to the Calvary Baptist Church.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 155—
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Tennie D. Collins of New Home Ministries upon her outstanding service, dedication and accomplishments.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 159—
BY SENATOR SMITH
A RESOLUTION
To urge and request the Senate Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development to study the role and functions of law enforcement officers of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Forest Service as such roles and functions relate to law enforcement outside of federal lands.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 160—
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Alena Boucree of St. Peter Claver Church upon her accomplishments and faithful service to the Lord.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 161—
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Henri Reed for being an outstanding and faithful servant to her family, church, and community.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 162—
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Mr. James Pierre, Sr., on his achievements in an unceasing commitment to his community and the Evening Star Baptist Church.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 163—
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD
A RESOLUTION
To commend Ms. Rita Dowden on her numerous contributions to the Cornerstone Christian Church.

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**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 156—**BY SENATORS SHEPHERD AND ULLO  
A RESOLUTION

To commend Deacon Milton Webre of St. John Bosco Church upon his accomplishments.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 164—**BY SENATOR SHEPHERD  
A RESOLUTION

To commend Lawrence Billups, Sr. of Oakland Baptist Church on his numerous accomplishments.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 157—**BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS  
A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency (LHFA) to leverage at least fifteen percent of its Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) dollars with its second round tax credit funding to maximize funding available to recreate housing in the Gulf Opportunity Zone.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHARLES D. JONES  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate and presented to the Secretary of State by the Secretary.

**Message to the Governor****SIGNED SENATE BILLS**

June 20, 2006

To the Honorable Governor of the State of Louisiana:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Bills:

**SENATE BILL NO. 19—**

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON AND REPRESENTATIVES WALKER AND DURAND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1226.2(B)(1) and (2) and to enact R.S. 37:1226.2(F), (G), (H), and (I), relative to the donation of prescription drugs to free pharmacies; to require free pharmacies to accept certain prescription drugs; to allow dispensing at the discretion of the pharmacist; to provide for mandatory donation of certain prescription drugs to charitable pharmacies under certain circumstances; to provide for a deduction of any such charges when unopened prescription drugs are returned, unused to a pharmacy; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 88—**BY SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1002(6), 1006(A)(1) and (B), 1141.2(B)(10), 1152(J)(3) and (4) and to enact R.S. 11:231(C)(3), relative to the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for definitions; to provide with respect to reemployment of retirees; to provide for limitation on earnings; to provide for payment to the system of amounts in excess of such limitation; to provide for calculation of average compensation; to provide for the calculation of benefits after participation in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 445—**BY SENATOR JACKSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:600.6(A)(22) and to enact R.S. 40:600.26(D)(5) and (G) and Chapter 3-C of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 40:600.31 through 600.38, relative to the Louisiana Housing

Trust Fund Act of 2003; to provide for a nonprofit corporation to address housing needs as defined in the Road Home Program; to provide for housing needs in declared disaster areas as a result of hurricanes Katrina and Rita; to provide for the priority of housing citizens who were displaced in a declared disaster area as a result of hurricanes Katrina and Rita; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 666—**BY SENATOR SCHEDLER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2198.11(4) and 2198.12(A) and (D)(1), relative to pain management clinics; to provide for definitions; to provide for licensure; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 695—**

BY SENATORS CRAVINS AND N. GAUTREAUX AND REPRESENTATIVE DURAND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 27:392(B)(2)(b) and (C)(2), relative to the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Economic Redevelopment and Gaming Control Act; to provide for the use of a portion of such monies to support functions of the Louisiana Racing Commission; to provide for the establishment of a health and welfare plan for Louisiana jockeys; to provide for the distribution for the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 709—**BY SENATOR MURRAY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4720.55(D), (E), (F)(1), 4720.57(F), 4720.71(1) through (21) and to enact R.S. 33:4720.57(G), 4720.71(22) through (30), and 4720.71.1, relative to the composition of the board of commissioners of the New Orleans Redevelopment Authority; to provide for the number of commissioners; to provide for the method of appointment of commissioners; to provide for the terms of commissioners; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 49—**BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX  
AN ACT

To enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 2168, relative to courts, appellate procedure and opinions; to provide for posting unpublished opinions of the court on Internet websites; to provide that such opinions may be cited; to provide for the form of such citation; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 58—**BY SENATOR FONTENOT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2286.1(A) and (B), relative to environmental quality; to provide relative to the voluntary investigation and remediation of immovable property; to provide for a work plan; to provide for submittal and review of such plan; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 269—**BY SENATORS DUPRE AND ROMERO  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(d)(iv), relative to levees; to provide for the contract limit for certain projects providing for the restoration and rehabilitation of certain levees under certain circumstances; to provide for the sunset of such provision; to provide an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 548—**BY SENATOR ELLINGTON  
AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property in Calcasieu Parish to the Sabine River Authority; to authorize and provide for the transfer of certain property in Caldwell Parish from the state of Louisiana, through the Military Department, to the Caldwell Parish Police Jury; to repeal Act No. 46 of the

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2006 Regular Session of the Legislature; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 89—**  
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:291(T)(2), relative to the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee and Drainage District; to provide for appointment of members to its board of commissioners; to provide for an effective date for such appointments; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 568—**  
BY SENATOR DARDENNE AND REPRESENTATIVE DURAND  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 35 of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2851 and 2852 and to repeal R.S. 40:2155(B)(9), relative to the adoption of rules providing for adult residential facilities and adult residential care homes; to repeal the requirement that the department promulgate rules to prevent facilities from ordering residents to evacuate under certain circumstances; to provide for the adoption of rules for facilities which provide housing or temporary residence for individuals referred by any judicial agency; to provide that the rules shall provide for the construction, standards of operation and services provided by those facilities; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 573— (Duplicate of House Bill No. 1102)**  
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREUX AND REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN  
AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES HEBERT AND FRITH  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 3:4617(F), relative to the Louisiana Weights and Measures Law; to provide for the commercial use of the terms "Cajun" and "Louisiana Creole"; to provide the legislative determinations; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 454—**  
BY SENATORS ELLINGTON AND SMITH  
AN ACT

To enact Chapter 23-A of Title 3 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 3:3751 and 3752, relative to the right of Louisiana farmers to supply Louisiana feedstock to renewable fuel manufacturing facilities operating in Louisiana; to encourage the use of Louisiana harvested crops in the production of renewable fuels in Louisiana; to require operators of renewable fuel manufacturing facilities to provide notice of operation and contact information for the purchase of Louisiana feedstock; to require the collection and dissemination of information regarding the purchases of Louisiana feedstock in the manufacture of renewable fuels; to require the collection and dissemination of information regarding the sales of renewable fuels by Louisiana manufacturers; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 703—**  
BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND MOUNT  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4547.1(B), 4547.2(B) through (E), and 4547.3 and to enact R.S. 33:4547.1(C) and (D), and 4547.2(F) through (H), relative to performance-based energy efficiency contracts; to provide for award of certain performance-based energy efficiency contracts by political subdivisions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 81—**  
BY SENATOR JONES  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3662(H)(1), relative to conducting telephone hearings; to provide for the appearance under certain circumstances of law enforcement officers or fire service personnel as witnesses in certain administrative hearings for the Department of Public Safety and Corrections; to provide relative to the receipt of witness fees by such persons; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 204—**  
BY SENATORS CHEEK AND ELLINGTON AND REPRESENTATIVES  
GLOVER AND GRAY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:248 and R.S. 33:2581.1, relative to financial security of certain firemen; to provide for cost-of-living adjustments for surviving spouses of certain law enforcement officers; to provide that the development of hearing loss while employed in the classified fire service is an occupational disease; to provide for benefits to an affected employee; to create a rebuttable presumption that such hearing loss developed during employment under certain circumstances; to require certain persons appointed to the classified fire service to submit to certain examinations; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 222—**  
BY SENATOR MOUNT AND REPRESENTATIVE JOHNS  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:402(B)(1)(a) and (c), 416, 417(A), and 427(A)(1), and to enact R.S. 14:92.2(A)(4) and (B)(3) and R.S. 32:417(D) and (E), relative to motor vehicles; to increase the penalties for any unlicensed person who operates a motor vehicle; to increase the penalties for any person who allows an unlicensed minor to operate a motor vehicle; to provide for penalties when an unlicensed person is involved in an accident which results in the serious bodily injury or death of another person; to provide for the improper supervision of a minor by a parent or legal custodian; to provide for exceptions; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 226—**  
BY SENATORS N. GAUTREUX AND MARIONNEAUX AND  
REPRESENTATIVE FAUCHEUX  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2582(A) and 2583(A) and to repeal R.S. 13:2583(D), relative to qualifications for the offices of justice of the peace and constable; to provide for qualifications of office; to repeal provisions that provide that a constable shall not remain in office beyond his seventy-fifth birthday and exceptions for certain constables in office on August 15, 1995; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 338—**  
BY SENATOR AMEDEE AND REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4207 and 4611(1)(b), relative to powers of judges; to provide relative to rendition of judgments; to provide relative to oral judgment in open court; to require written judgments when oral reasons for judgment are not rendered; to provide for an extension of such time limits under certain circumstances; to provide for the penalties a judge may impose after adjudicating a person guilty of contempt of court; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 451—**  
BY SENATOR BROOME  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Part VI-B of Chapter 20 of Title 37 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 37:1742.1, relative to providing information and making recommendations of lifestyle modifications, food, dietary supplements, or homeopathic remedies; to provide with respect to disclosure by certain individuals who provide such information recommendations; to provide for information to be disclosed in the disclosure; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 453—**  
BY SENATOR MALONE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:83(F)(5), relative to oil and gas agreements; to provide relative to oilfield site restoration; to provide relative to certain powers of the Oilfield Site Restoration Commission; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 482—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2179.2, relative to direct service workers; to provide that the Board of Examiners of Nursing Facility Administrators is authorized to operate and maintain the Direct Service Worker Registry through an interagency agreement with the Department of Health and Hospitals; to authorize the board to issue certificates or certification cards and to charge an amount for providing them; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 522— (Duplicate of House Bill No. 817)**  
BY SENATOR CHEEK AND REPRESENTATIVE HOPKINS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 27:326, relative to the Video Draw Poker Devices Control Law; to provide with respect to promoting and encouraging the play of video draw poker devices; to provide for a restriction on the offering of food or beverages free of charge; to provide for applicability; to limit the value of the promotion; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 545—**  
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:302.23(B), 302.26(D), and 322.37, relative to the disposition of certain collections from the sales of services; to provide with respect to the disposition of the avails of the tax on the sales of services in Vermilion Parish and St. Tammany Parish; to provide for effectiveness provisions, and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 583—**  
BY SENATOR FONTENOT

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 30:2413.1, relative to environmental quality; to require the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality to develop and implement a comprehensive debris management plan for certain debris generated by natural disasters; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 612—**  
BY SENATORS MOUNT, BROOME, CHAISSON AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVES DORSEY AND SCHNEIDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 895.1(F)(introductory paragraph) and (4) and R.S. 15:542(B)(2)(a) and to enact R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(e), R.S. 32:412(I), R.S. 40:1321(J), and Chapter 24-C of Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 40:2528, relative to sexual offenders; to require a restriction code which declares that a driver's license holder is a sex offender; to provide for a Predator Alert System; to provide for notice provided by sex offenders to be published in newspapers in addition to the official journal of the parish; to increase certain fees payable to the Sex Offender Registry Technology Fund as a condition of probation for persons convicted of sex offenses; to provide for appropriations from the fund and specifies uses thereof; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 624—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON AND REPRESENTATIVE DURAND

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 28:2(21) and (22)(b), 52(D) and (H)(2)(b), 53(B)(1), 53(B)(2)(a) and (b), (F), (G)(1)(d), (K)(1)(a) and (c), and (O)(2), 53.2(C), 55(I)(1)(a) and (c), 63(A)(1) and (B), 96.1(A), (E) and (F), 171(D)(3), (5) and (8), (G), (N), and (P) and to enact R.S. 28:2(30), (31), and (32), and 51.1, relative to mental health; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of physicians, psychologists, medical psychologists, and psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners, and primary care providers; to provide for definitions; to provide for staff membership or certain institutional privileges of medical psychologists and psychiatric mental health nurse practitioners in a treatment facility; to add duties and responsibilities of medical psychologists, psychiatric mental

health nurse practitioners, and primary care providers; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 749— (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 335 By Senator Nevers)**

BY SENATORS NEVERS AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVES ALEXANDER, CHANDLER, DOWNS, FANNIN, KENNEY, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, RITCHIE, THOMPSON AND TRAHAN

AN ACT

To enact Subpart A-3 of Part III of Chapter 1 of Title 17 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 17:187.1 through 187.5, relative to public schools and school children; to provide for articulated and reciprocal technical training for shared students; to provide legislative findings and purposes; to provide definitions; to provide for the establishment of programs of dual enrollment of students in public secondary schools and institutions under the jurisdiction of the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges, city, parish, and other local public school boards, and the governing boards of public schools not under the jurisdiction of a local board; to provide relative to the funding for dual enrollment; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 723—**

BY SENATORS MALONE AND ADLEY AND REPRESENTATIVES HOPKINS, MONTGOMERY, JANE SMITH AND WADDELL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3158(A) and (C) and to enact R.S. 34:3158(D), relative to the Caddo-Bossier Parishes Port Commission; to provide relative to the composition, membership, powers, duties, and functions of the port commission; and to provide for related matters.

and they are hereby presented for executive approval.

Respectfully submitted,  
GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

**Message to the Secretary of State****SIGNED  
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

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To the Honorable Secretary of State:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Joint Resolutions:

**SENATE BILL NO. 27— (Duplicate of House Bill No. 450)**BY SENATOR DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVE PITRE  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VI, Section 42(A) and to add Article I, Section 4(G) of the Constitution of Louisiana; to provide relative to the taking of property; to provide relative to the compensation paid for certain takings of property; to provide that compensation paid for the taking of, or loss or damage to, property rights affected by certain flood control projects shall be governed by the Fifth Amendment of the United States Constitution; to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition; and to provide for related matters.

**SENATE BILL NO. 141— (Duplicate of House Bill No. 642)**

BY SENATOR DUPLESSIS AND REPRESENTATIVE BADON AND COAUTHORED BY SENATORS BOASSO, QUINN, SHEPHERD, DARDENNE, HOLLIS AND SCHEDLER AND REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 24 of the Constitution of

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Louisiana, to provide for a single tax assessor in Orleans Parish; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 229—

BY SENATORS DARDENNE, BAJOE AND DUPRE AND REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 10.2(F) and to repeal Article VII, Section 10.11 of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to coastal protection and restoration; to provide for the deposit of a portion of the proceeds of any tobacco securitization into the Coastal Protection and Restoration Fund; to repeal the Louisiana Coastal Restoration Fund; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 296—

BY SENATORS QUINN AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VI, Section 14 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide that no law, unless enacted by two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature, requiring increased expenditures for any purpose shall be applicable to a city, parish, or other local public school board except under certain circumstances; to provide for exceptions to such prohibition; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Respectfully submitted,  
GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate Joint Resolutions contained herein were presented to the Secretary of State by the Secretary.

Message to the Secretary of State

SIGNED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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To the Honorable Secretary of State:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—

BY SENATOR JONES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to meet and function as a joint committee to study the issues related to how to identify and locate displaced Louisiana citizens, how to communicate with such citizens, and what proposals or actions may aid in their return to Louisiana.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13—

BY SENATOR DARDENNE AND REPRESENTATIVE SCALISE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana High School Athletic Association (LHSAA) to take certain steps to implement an online anabolic steroid awareness and prevention program, to require an anabolic steroid nonuse contract and consent form and inclusion of steroid testing on the LHSAA parental permission form as required for athletic participation, and to participate in a study to determine the feasibility of the development of other programs to educate and prevent the use of steroids and performance-enhancing supplements by high school athletes.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—

BY SENATOR BROOME

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Education and the House Committee on Education to meet and function as a joint committee to study and make recommendations regarding the advisability and feasibility of creating the Louisiana Virtual Library Council as a state entity and of providing for an integrated information system which provides access to a virtual library system through a single universal portal.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 117—

BY SENATOR JONES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request the Senate Committee on Judiciary C and the House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to meet and function as a joint committee to study issues related to the rate of incarceration in the state and fiscal issues related to the rate of incarceration, and to examine the history of and current sentencing practices of the state and make a report of its findings, together with any recommendations for changes in legislation, to the Louisiana Legislature no later than April 1, 2007.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 125—

BY SENATOR MURRAY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study the potential legal effects of granting recognition in full faith and credit or comity to the judgments of Indian tribal courts in this state, and to report its findings to the Louisiana Legislature prior to February 1, 2007.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—

BY SENATORS KOSTELKA AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ARNOLD, BALDONE, BAUDOIN, BEARD, BOWLER, BRUCE, BURNS, BURRELL, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CHANDLER, CRANE, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DOERGE, DOVE, DOWNS, DURAND, FANNIN, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOT, GRAY, HAMMETT, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNEY, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, ODINET, PINAC, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RITCHIE, ROMERO, SALTER, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JANE SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE AND WOOTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to devise and implement a program to grant high school diplomas to qualifying Korean and Vietnam veterans

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 94—

BY SENATORS B. GAUTREAU, BOASSO, DARDENNE AND SHEPHERD AND REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BARROW, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BEARD, BOWLER, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, BURNS, BURRELL, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CHANDLER, CRANE, CRAVINS, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DOERGE, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOT, GEYMAN, GLOVER, GRAY, GREENE, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, HUNTER, HUTTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAFLEUR, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, LANCASTER, MARCHAND, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, ODINET, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, TRICHE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, WINSTON AND WOOTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize the board of trustees of the Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System to grant a cost-of-living increase to eligible benefit recipients; to provide for the maximum amount of such increase; and to provide for an effective date.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 99—

BY SENATOR BAJOE AND REPRESENTATIVES CURTIS, GLOVER, GRAY, E. GUILLORY, MCDONALD, STRAIN AND WINSTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the United States Department of Veterans Affairs and the Louisiana State University Health Care Services

Division to execute to the fullest the terms established in the February 23, 2006, Memorandum of Understanding.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 121—**  
BY SENATORS HINES AND JONES AND REPRESENTATIVES SALTER AND BRUNEAU

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To adopt Joint Rule No. 20 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives relative to the limitations on the filing and consideration of matters intended to have the effect of law and certain amendments thereto during regular sessions held in odd-numbered years.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 135—**  
BY SENATOR ELLINGTON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Lamar Eugene Little, D.D.S., World War II Marine veteran, a practicing dentist in Winnsboro for more than sixty years, devoted husband, father, grandfather, and devout Christian.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20—**  
BY SENATOR SCHEDLER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality and the House Committee on the Environment to meet and function as a joint committee to study and make recommendations regarding recycling and disposal options relative to computers and other electronic equipment.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 61—**  
BY SENATORS CAIN, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CHAISSON, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVE WALSWORTH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the governor to have lowered the United States and Louisiana flags flying over the State Capitol Building to half-staff in observance of the death of each state resident in the armed forces of the United States who is killed in war.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 76—**  
BY SENATOR DARDENNE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Senate Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development and the House Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture and Rural Development to meet and function as a joint committee to study the feasibility of creating a Louisiana agricultural and seafood surplus products purchase program and the creation of a purchasing board to oversee the program; and to report its findings, together with any recommendations for legislation, to the legislature.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105—**  
BY SENATOR JONES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the secretary of state to determine the practical and legal needs that must be taken to enable eligible voters displaced by a declared disaster to have the opportunity to vote on election day at locations in the state other than in the parish in which they are registered for all elections to be conducted in the parish in which the voter is registered, whether state, local, or federal elections.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 106—**  
BY SENATOR JONES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of Public Safety and Corrections to notify inmates under its supervision of the revisions to the laws and regulations relating to the Louisiana Risk Review Panel, good time and diminution of sentence.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 130—**  
BY SENATORS N. GAUTREAU, BARHAM, BOASSO, CAIN, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, HOLLIS, LENTINI, MALONE, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, SCHEDLER, THEUNISSEN, AMEDEE, BROOME, CHEEK, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, MARIONNEAUX, ROMERO, SHEPHERD AND ULLO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the governor and the Louisiana Recovery Authority to add a link to its Internet website which will list all state spending of federal hurricane-related aid in detail, and to keep the information updated on a monthly basis.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To nominate a portion of Drake's Creek in Vernon Parish for inclusion in the Louisiana Natural and Scenic Rivers System.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 124—**  
BY SENATORS B. GAUTREAU AND N. GAUTREAU AND REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Victor Lashley of Centerville High School upon his selection as a representative of south Louisiana at the Hugh O'Brian World Leadership Congress in July in Washington, D.C.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 103—**  
BY SENATOR HINES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals to establish a committee to study and develop a methodology to provide needs assessments for federally qualified health centers and freestanding rural health clinics to systematically promote the expansion of primary and preventive health care services, develop and stimulate services provided by others to ensure better access to quality primary health care services, without adversely affecting Louisiana's established rural hospitals, their provider-based rural health clinics and the established medical practices of primary care physicians on the active medical staff of such rural hospital.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 111—**  
BY SENATOR HINES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to study the issuance of Advance Directive Bracelets in addition to Do Not Resuscitate Bracelets to qualified patients with input from various organizations and associations.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 123—**  
BY SENATOR BAJOIE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request that the Department of Health and Hospitals, along with other appropriate state agencies, collaborate with various health organizations to increase awareness of the negative impact of diabetes.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 104—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to continue the panel of healthcare information technology and fiscal experts who were first convened in July 2005, at the e-Health Information Summit meeting for the purpose of identifying and recommending a method for funding investments in health information technology in both public and private healthcare provider facilities, and to direct the panel to develop recommendations to encourage medical professionals to adopt health information technology in the delivery of publicly and privately funded healthcare services.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 136—**  
BY SENATOR ROMERO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue and expand the purpose of the Atchafalaya Parkway Commission in its study for the need to construct and manage improvements to certain highways in the parishes of St. Martin

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and St. Landry, by including Iberia Parish in such study; to include representation of the parish government of Iberia on the commission; and to require the commission to make recommendations to the Senate and House committees on transportation, highways and public works prior to the commencement of the 2007 Regular Session.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 138—**  
BY SENATORS DUPLESSIS AND MURRAY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To strongly urge and request the Department of Environmental Quality to immediately test, with scientists identified by the community, the actual contents and leachate of the Chef Menteur landfill itself.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 143—**  
BY SENATORS MALONE, BOASSO, DUPRE, N. GAUTREAU, ROMERO, MICHOT AND BARHAM  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the division of administration, office of facility and control, the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, division of law enforcement, and Louisiana State University, office of community design and development, to conduct a feasibility study regarding construction of a new law enforcement training facility for the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 144—**  
BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of John Carter Wilkinson, retired Baton Rouge attorney and businessman.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 145—**  
BY SENATOR MURRAY  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the New Orleans Civil Service Commission, in the strongest possible terms, to establish a regular schedule of monthly meeting dates beginning immediately, to provide public notice of such schedule, and to meet on each scheduled date.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 146—**  
BY SENATOR N. GAUTREAU  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Recovery Authority to adopt a new plan for recovery that provides for deep recovery and renewal by: providing for homeowner assistance through the use of zero percent loans; including incentives to encourage raising structures above flood levels or relocating to safer ground; providing for financial processing by the state's banking community rather than state or federal government agencies; incorporating neighborhood design components which will be attractive to and integrate business and industry; providing partnership opportunities with nonprofit organizations which are actively involved in residential construction or licensed as residential contractors; and encouraging the use of building materials that would produce environmentally friendly and hurricane resistant products.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 112—**  
BY SENATOR LENTINI  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To add the director of the division of long-term supports and services within the Department of Health and Hospitals as a member of the Implementation Team of the Louisiana Commission on Decision-Making of Persons with Cognitive Disabilities and to require a report of such team to the Senate Committee on Judiciary A and the House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 134—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Board of Regents and the nursing boards to work together and study the feasibility of expanding nursing programs in order to alleviate the nursing shortage crisis that exists in Louisiana.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 115—**  
BY SENATORS MICHOT, MOUNT, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HOLLIS, JACKSON, LENTINI, MALONE, MURRAY, NEVERS, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Economic Development to administer the Quality Jobs Program to assist companies meeting the qualifications for the program as provided by La. R.S. 51:2451 et seq., attempting to recover from physical or economic damage or destruction caused by wind, water, fire, business interruption, or criminal acts as a direct result of damage caused by hurricanes Katrina or Rita resulting in a reduction in the number of their employees and the reduction, termination or suspension of their business, by considering "new direct job" to include the employees who are hired or rehired in the companies' efforts to resume or increase operations in this state following the damage caused by hurricanes Katrina or Rita.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 127—**  
BY SENATOR BROOME  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to study the practicality and feasibility of enrolling clinical social workers as providers in the Louisiana medical assistance program.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 129—**  
BY SENATORS SCHEDLER, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVES TUCKER, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BARROW, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BEARD, BOWLER, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, BURNS, BURRELL, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CHANDLER, CRANE, CRAVINS, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DOERGE, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOT, GEYMANN, GLOVER, GRAY, GREENE, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, HUNTER, HUTTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAFLEUR, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, LANCASTER, MARCHAND, MARTINY, McDONALD, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, ODINET, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, GARY SMITH, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, TRICHE, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, WINSTON AND WOOTON  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the humanitarian efforts of the citizens of the United States of America and of the nations around the world who contributed to the rescue and recovery of this state after the devastation resulting from hurricanes Katrina and Rita; to express the heartfelt and unceasing gratitude of those affected by the tragedy; to convey the sentiment that "Louisiana Thanks You!" for each and every act of kindness bestowed upon the state; and to extend an open invitation to come experience, firsthand, Louisiana's hospitality and renewal.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 132—**  
BY SENATOR CHAISSON AND REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH  
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize the achievements of Curtis T. Johnson, Sr. and to express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana to his family upon his passing.

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**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 133—**

BY SENATORS BAJOE, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAU, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO AND REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU, K. CARTER AND SCALISE

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend Antoine Dominique "Fats" Domino for his exceptional and unique rock 'n roll singing style and to designate June 19, 2006, as Fats Domino Day in Louisiana.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 142—**

BY SENATOR CAIN AND REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend Robin Briscoe of Anacoco High School upon her selection as a representative of north Louisiana at the Hugh O'Brian World Leadership Congress in Washington, D.C.

Respectfully submitted,  
GLENN A. KOEPP  
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were presented to the Secretary of State by the Secretary.

**Message from the House****SIGNED HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

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To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 323—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To designate April 15-21, 2007, as Hurricane Preparedness Week.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 324—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES CRAVINS, RICHMOND, BADON, BARROW, BAYLOR, BURRELL, K. CARTER, CURTIS, DORSEY, GALLOT, GLOVER, GRAY, E. GUILLORY, HARRIS, HONEY, HUNTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, LAFONTA, MARCHAND, PIERRE, AND QUEZAIRE AND SENATORS ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAU, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN, AND ULLO

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

To commend the Honorable Donald R. "Don" Cravins, Sr. and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to St. Landry Parish, Lafayette Parish, and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana Senate.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Message from the House****SIGNED HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

June 20, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND TRICHE

**AN ACT**

Making appropriations for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads, public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1235—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE LABRUZZO

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 37:1226.2(B)(9), relative to prescription drug returns, exchanges, and redispensing; to allow a penal institution to receive donated medications for redispensing to individuals in its facility; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 108—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRUNEAU AND SENATOR MURRAY

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 49:72(7) and to enact R.S. 49:78.1, relative to lobbying of the executive branch; to provide for the regulation of lobbying of the executive branch; to provide for the definition of lobbyist; to provide for certain prohibited conduct; to provide for penalties and remedies, including the defeat or voidability of certain contracts; to provide for enforcement; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 128—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 111 and 112, relative to an award of final spousal support; to require necessitous circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 269—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 47:841(F), relative to tobacco products; to establish the Tobacco Regulation Enforcement Fund as a special fund in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit, investment, and use of monies in the fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 800—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TRAHAN

**AN ACT**

To enact R.S. 17:81(O), relative to leave for employees of local school boards who serve on certain public entities; to require the adoption of policies and procedures by each city, parish, and other local public school board providing leave with pay for certain employees under specified circumstances; to provide applicability; to provide guidelines for such policies and procedures and a time line for adoption by the school board; to provide an effective date; and provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 824—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES FRITH, PIERRE, JACK SMITH, AND ST. GERMAIN AND SENATOR MALONE

**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:104(B)(4), 104.1(A), and 116.3(A)(1)(a) and (B) and to repeal R.S. 56:116(B)(3), relative to hunting with bow and arrow; to authorize the use of magnified scopes with crossbows; to authorize the use of a

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mechanically held bow in certain circumstances; to authorize the use of certain arrow points; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1141—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES HEBERT AND SCALISE  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1430.6(C) and (D)(1) and (6), 1430.12(A)(1), and 1464(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 22:1430.6(D)(7) and (8) and R.S. 22:1430.22, relative to insurance; to provide for rate changes for certain policies; to exempt certain coverages from certain requirements for rates for policies offered by the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; to provide for money to be loaned between the FAIR plan and the Coastal plan; to provide for the purchase of reinsurance; to provide for the authority of certain agents to bind coverage under certain circumstances; to provide for either an explanation of an insurance premium increase or a statement asking the insured to contact his insurance company or agent for any questions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1311—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 26:2(12) and 71(A)(3)(c), 71.1(1)(b) and (f) and (3)(a), 241(8), (12), and (18), 271(A)(1), (4), and (5), and 271.2(1)(b) and (f) and (3)(a) and to enact R.S. 26:71(A)(3)(d), 71.2, 73(B)(1)(f), 271(A)(6), 271.3, and 272(B)(1)(f), relative to permits to engage in the business of dealing in beverages of high or low alcoholic content; to provide for a Retail Class C-Package Store permit; to provide for a fee for the permit; to define Class C-Package Store; to define Package House-Class B; to define restaurant establishment as it relates to Restaurant "R" permits; to provide relative to Class A retail liquor permits; to provide relative to wholesale dealers of malt beverages; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 52— (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 171)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMETT AND SENATOR MCPHERSON AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES STRAIN, THOMPSON, BAUDOIN, DANIEL, DOVE, FRITH, GEYMAN, HILL, LAMBERT, ROBIDEAUX, JACK SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, BALDONE, FARRAR, M. GUILLORY, HEBERT, GARY SMITH, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BARROW, BAYLOR, BEARD, BRUCE, BURRELL, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CRANE, CRAVINS, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DARTEZ, DOERGE, DORSEY, DOWNS, FANNIN, FAUCHEUX, GALLOT, GRAY, GREENE, E. GUILLORY, HEATON, HONEY, JACKSON, KATZ, KENNEY, LANCASTER, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, MORRISH, PIERRE, PINAC, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, ROMERO, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS ADLEY, BARHAM, BOASSO, CHEEK, DUPRE, HOLLIS, MALONE, MICHOT, AND MURRAY  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:116.5, relative to hunting; to prohibit computer-assisted remote hunting; to provide for definitions; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 134—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Articles 925(A)(2), 932(A), 1201(C), and 1672(C), relative to service of citation; to provide for waiver of the required request for service of citation under certain circumstances; to provide for the procedure to object to the failure to request the required service of citation; to provide for the effect of such exception; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 240—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENE AND SENATORS BROOME AND MCPHERSON  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:365(A)(1) and to enact R.S. 32:300.3, relative to the safe operation of motor vehicles; to provide relative to traffic rules for funeral processions; to provide for the definition of a "funeral procession"; to require the uniform identification of motor vehicles participating in funeral processions; to provide penalties for certain violations; to

provide relative to traffic safety violations; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 418— (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 505)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO AND SENATOR HEITMEIER AND COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3361(A)(2), relative to public facilities; to require certain oversight of the construction of improvements on college or university property which is leased to a nonprofit organization; to provide for the adoption of standards; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 594—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES GREENE, ANSARDI, AND SCHNEIDER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 466, relative to component parts of immovable property; to provide relative to buildings and other constructions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1073—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTTER  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1464(A)(1), relative to property, casualty, and liability insurance; to provide for either an explanation of any insurance premium increase or a statement asking the insured to contact his insurance company or agent for any questions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1395— (Substitute for House Bill No. 1047 by Representative St. Germain)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN  
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1405(J) and 1405.1 through 1405.3, relative to public fire protection grading; to provide for review of public fire protection grading; to provide for a board of review; to provide for powers and duties; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1404— (Substitute for House Bill No. 337 by Representative M. Guillory)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE M. GUILLORY AND SENATOR CHEEK  
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.52(A)(1), (B)(1), (C), (D)(1)(a) and (2), and (E) and to enact R.S. 40:1300.52(B)(3), relative to nonlicensed persons and licensed ambulance personnel; to provide for security checks; to provide for mandatory criminal history checks; and to provide for related matters.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Bills and Joint Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

**Privilege Report of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs**

**ENROLLMENTS**

Senator Jones, Chairman on behalf of the Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs, submitted the following report:

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To the President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed by your Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to submit the following report:

The following Senate Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 177—**  
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Pauline Plaisance upon her accomplishments as an outstanding parishioner of Visitation of Our Lady Church in Marrero, Louisiana.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 178—**  
BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility of increasing the speed limits on roads and highways in Louisiana, to implement policies and procedures facilitating clearance, investigation, and mitigation of traffic incidents, and to provide a written report to the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works no later than March 15, 2007.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 179—**  
BY SENATOR HINES

A RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt Paragraph (B) of Senate Rule No. 10.8 and to repeal Senate Rule No. 7.15 of Senate Rules of Order, and to repeal rules relative to duplicate bills.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 180—**  
BY SENATOR HINES

A RESOLUTION

To commend all of our faithful and steadfast International Association of Firefighters for their heroic actions during and after hurricanes Katrina and Rita and to designate June 19, 2006, as Professional Firefighter Appreciation Day at the Capitol.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 181—**

BY SENATORS FIELDS, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAU, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO

A RESOLUTION

To commend and to congratulate Avery Johnson, coach of the Dallas Mavericks Basketball Team on an outstanding season and the achieving a berth in the National Basketball Association Finals.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 165—**

BY SENATORS HINES, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOIE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHAISSON, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAU, N. GAUTREAU, HEITMEIER, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAU, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN AND ULLO

A RESOLUTION

To commend Diane Mills Burkhart for her outstanding and unparalleled contributions to the Legislature and the State of Louisiana and to the many people she has lovingly assisted in her twenty-eight years of exemplary service and offer congratulations on her richly deserved retirement.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 166—**  
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Mary Williams of the Greater St. Mary Baptist Church on the many accomplishments and contributions she has made during her lifetime.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 167—**  
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Tachel Porch upon her accomplishments in life and the contributions she makes that touches the lives of others.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 168—**  
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Arthur Johnson upon his accomplishments and contributions to the Watson Memorial Teaching Ministries.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 169—**  
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Dorothy Carroll Williams of Greater St. Stephens Full Gospel Baptist Church upon her numerous accomplishments.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 170—**  
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Ruth Marie Newton Wilson of Greater St. Stephen Full Gospel Baptist Church on her numerous accomplishments.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 171—**  
BY SENATORS DARDENNE AND HINES

A RESOLUTION

To commend and congratulate Lydia Shelby Kelly Yelverton on the occasion of her one hundredth birthday.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 172—**  
BY SENATORS HOLLIS AND MICHOT

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Department of Economic Development to amend its Enterprise Zone Program regulations in order to allow multi-family housing developments to qualify for program benefits if such developments meet all the other requirements of the program.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 173—**  
BY SENATOR JACKSON

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to study and clarify the issue of whether a licensed social worker and a licensed professional counselor may continue to provide prevention and treatment of substance abuse and addictive disorders without additional certification for these services.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 174—**  
BY SENATOR MOUNT

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals to study the feasibility of removing W.O. Moss Regional Medical Center from the control of the LSU Health Sciences Center-New Orleans.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 175—**  
BY SENATOR SHEPHERD

A RESOLUTION

To commend Sister Dorothy Ruth on her numerous contributions to the Westbank location of New Home Ministries.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 176—**  
BY SENATOR MALONE

A RESOLUTION

To commend Robbie Dean of Airline High School upon his selection as a representative of north Louisiana at the Hugh O'Brian World Leadership Congress in Washington, D.C.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHARLES D. JONES  
Chairman

The foregoing Senate Resolutions were signed by the President of the Senate and presented to the Secretary of State by the Secretary.

Message to the Secretary of State

SIGNED  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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To the Honorable Secretary of State:

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives have signed the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 131— BY SENATOR QUINN

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request the Senate Committee on Insurance and the House Committee on Insurance to meet and function as a joint committee to study property insurance issues including but not limited to the current and future availability and affordability of property insurance for the citizens of Louisiana and the problems involving claim adjustments and coverages for damages resulting from Hurricane Katrina and Hurricane Rita and to report its findings to the legislature, with any recommendations for legislation, prior to the next regular session.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 137— BY SENATOR HINES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To repeal Joint Rules No. 5, 7, 9, 11, and 17 of the Joint Rules of Order of the Senate and the House of Representatives; to remove provisions relative to duplicate bills; to remove a prohibition on legislative committee meetings being held during a specified annual orientation conference; to remove provisions relative to certain certificates; to remove certain provisions relative to time limitations on the passage of the capital outlay bill; and to remove provisions relative to symbolic notes.

Respectfully submitted, GLENN A. KOEPP Secretary of the Senate

The Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were presented to the Secretary of State by the Secretary.

Message from the House

SIGNED HOUSE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 21, 2006

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions:

HOUSE BILL NO. 55— BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDONALD AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2418(H)(introductory paragraph),(I)(2) and (3), and (N), to enact R.S. 30:2418(H)(10), and to repeal R.S. 30:2418(H)(10) effective July 1, 2008, relative to fees collected on the sale of tires; to provide for an exemption from the fee on certain tire sales; to provide for a termination date; to provide relative to undisputed obligations; to provide for payments to a waste processor; to provide relative to the applicability to claims or actions pending on the effective date; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 60— BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY AN ACT

To enact Part IV of Chapter 6 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 13:1801 through 1842 and to repeal Part III of Chapter 6 of Title 13 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 13:1700 through 1724, relative to child custody; to create the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act; to provide for definitions; to provide for the application; to provide for

jurisdiction; to provide for jurisdiction under declared emergency or disaster circumstances; to provide for enforcement; to provide for registration; to provide for appeals; to repeal the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction Act; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 184— BY REPRESENTATIVES JACK SMITH, BALDONE, BRUCE, BURRELL, AND LAFLEUR

AN ACT

To enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 894.4, relative to extension of probation or parole; to provide for the extension of probation or parole when monetary obligations are not extinguished; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 204— BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER AND SENATOR CHEEK AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:2009.4.1, relative to nursing homes; to require the installation of supervised automatic fire sprinkler systems; to provide for the offset of costs; to provide for violations; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 234— BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:436.2, relative to school board policies; to require city, parish, and other local public school boards and charter schools to adopt policies prohibiting teachers from making a recommendation that a student be administered a psychotropic drug and from taking certain actions relative thereto and from specifying or identifying any mental health diagnosis for a student; to provide relative to the authority of certain school board or charter school employees to recommend that students be evaluated; to provide relative to the authority of school employees to discuss student behavior and academic progress; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 277— BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND TRICHE AN ACT

To provide for the establishment and reestablishment of agency ancillary funds, to be specifically known as internal service funds, auxiliary accounts, or enterprise funds for certain state institutions, officials, and agencies; to provide for appropriation of funds; and to regulate the administration of said funds.

HOUSE BILL NO. 439— BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 1:13 and R.S. 13:3712(A) and to enact R.S. 13:3711 and R.S. 24:177, relative to legislation; to specifically provide that certain elements of a bill are not law; to provide with respect to legislative journals; to provide with respect to audio and video recordings of legislative proceedings; to provide with respect to legislative intent; to define the extent to which certain elements of a bill are considered to determine legislative intent; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 475— BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3086.23(A)(2) as amended by Section 1 of Act No. 2 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the Ascension Parish members of the Bayou Lafourche Fresh Water District board of commissioners; to provide for the continued effectiveness of certain provisions; and to provide for related matters.

HOUSE BILL NO. 479— BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 22:1410(A)(1) and 2092.2(17)(b)(vi) and to enact R.S. 22:1409(G)(2)(e), 1409.1, and 2092.5.1, relative to title insurance; to provide for contents of title opinions; to authorize a certain organization to make filings for their

members; to otherwise provide with respect to the Louisiana Title Statistical Services Organization; to provide title insurers the ability to seek permission to file a deviation from certain rates; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 511—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE DAMICO

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2411(B)(1), 2412(3), (4), (5), (20), and (26), 2413(A)(8), 2415(A), (C), (D), and (E), 2417(A)(5), 2420(B), and 2421(B), to enact R.S. 30:2162 and 2413(A)(10), and to repeal R.S. 30:2412(1.1) and (4.1) and 2417(A)(6) and (7) and (E)(4), relative to solid waste and recycling; to provide for purpose; to provide for definitions; to provide for powers and duties of the secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality; to provide for evaluation of solid waste capacity; to provide for used oil, batteries, and white goods; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 515—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES JEFFERSON AND GRAY

## AN ACT

To enact Part V of Chapter 10 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:1094 through 1097, relative to hospital service districts; to create the Parish Hospital Service District for the parish of Orleans; to provide that such district shall be divided into two separate areas; to provide for the creation of two separate governing boards for each such area and to provide for the membership of each such board; to provide for the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the district and each governing board; to study the feasibility of establishing hospital facilities in the district; to provide for limitations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 624—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES WINSTON AND STRAIN AND SENATORS NEVERS AND SCHEDLER

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:1501.6, relative to fire protection districts in St. Tammany Parish; to prohibit the levy and collection of certain ad valorem taxes by Fire Protection District 12 in areas which have been annexed by the city of Covington; to provide with respect to fire protection services within the city of Covington; to provide for fire protection services for future annexed property; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 658—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

## AN ACT

To authorize and provide for the transfer of certain state property; to provide for the acceptance of the donation of certain property in Sabine Parish to the state of Louisiana, through the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to authorize and provide for the exchange and transfer between the state and a certain property owner of specified properties located in Jefferson Parish; to provide for the donation of certain property located in Jefferson Parish from the state to Jefferson Parish; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 675—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCVEA

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:1119(B)(2)(a)(v) and (E), relative to nepotism; to allow certain immediate family members of school board members and of superintendents to be promoted to administrative positions in parishes with a population of twenty-six thousand or less; to allow an immediate family member of an athletic director at a school to be employed as a coach at such school; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 699—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE MONTGOMERY AND SENATORS DUPLESSIS, HOLLIS, AND SMITH

## AN ACT

To enact Chapter 10-A of Title 45 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 45:1356 through 1371, relative to cable services; to create the "Competitive Cable and Video Services Act"; to provide guidelines for cable and video services; to provide for certificate of franchise authority to be distributed by the secretary of state; to provide for franchise fees associated with cable or video services; to provide for franchise fee audits and dispute resolutions; to provide for the distribution of these fees; to provide for a prohibition against build-out requirements; to authorize a local governmental subdivision to regulate a certificate holder; to prohibit discrimination with regards to cable or video services; to provide for public, educational, and governmental access channels; to provide for opt-in procedures; to provide for in-kind contributions; to provide for declaratory judgment; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 767—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES ALARIO AND SALTER

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:921(A) and R.S. 48:756(A)(3), to enact R.S. 39:100.25 and 100.26, and to repeal R.S. 15:921(D), relative to state funds; to create the FEMA Reimbursement Fund; to create the State Emergency Response Fund; to provide for the deposit, investment, use, and appropriation of monies in the FEMA Reimbursement Fund and the State Emergency Response Fund; to provide for the deposit of certain funds into the Youthful Offender Management Fund; to provide for deposit and credits to and appropriations from the Louisiana Life Safety and Property Protection Trust Fund; to provide for the transfer of certain funds from the Incentive Fund and the Mineral Resources Operation Fund to the State General Fund; to repeal the cap on the Youthful Offender Management Fund; to provide for the distribution of certain excess funds in the Parish Transportation Fund; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 884—**

BY REPRESENTATIVES DURAND, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, BALDONE, BAUDOIN, BAYLOR, BRUCE, BURNS, CAZAYOUX, CRANE, CRAVINS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, FANNIN, FRITH, GALLOT, GLOVER, GRAY, GREENE, E. GULLORY, M. GULLORY, HEBERT, HUNTER, HUTTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KENNEY, LAFLEUR, LAFONTA, LANCASTER, MARCHAND, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, PINAC, M. POWELL, ROBIDEAUX, ROMERO, SCALISE, JACK SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, WALKER, WALSWORTH, AND WINSTON

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 9:2793.3, 2793.4, 2793.5, and 2793.6, relative to civil liability of nonprofit organizations; to provide a limitation of liability for the United Way; to provide a limitation of liability for Southern Mutual Help Association, Inc.; to provide a limitation of liability for PRC Compassion, Inc.; to provide a limitation of liability for certain Catholic entities; to provide an exception for willful and wanton misconduct; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 970—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:163(A), relative to transportation of hazardous waste; to provide for exemptions from permitting requirements for transporting hazardous waste in certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1010—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH

## AN ACT

To enact R.S. 32:300.3, relative to operating motor vehicles; to prohibit the operator or a passenger in a motor vehicle from smoking when children of a certain age are present; to provide relative to penalties for violations; to provide relative to citations issued for violations; to prohibit certain actions by law

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enforcement officers; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1130— (Duplicate of Senate Bill No. 665)**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND AND SENATOR SCHEDLER AND  
 COAUTHORED BY REPRESENTATIVES ARNOLD, BADON, BARROW,  
 BAYLOR, BURRELL, K. CARTER, CURTIS, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DORSEY,  
 FANNIN, FRITH, GALLOT, GLOVER, GRAY, HEBERT, HONEY,  
 HUNTER, HUTTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, KENNEY, LAFONTA,  
 MARCHAND, McDONALD, MORRELL, PIERRE, QUEZAIRE, RITCHIE,  
 ROMERO, ST. GERMAIN, AND THOMPSON AND SENATORS BOASSO,  
 DUPLESSIS, AND HOLLIS

AN ACT

To enact Chapter 27-F of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:9039.101 through 9039.112, relative to local and regional economic development; to provide for the creation of local and regional economic development districts that may operate on a local, municipal, parish, or multiparish basis to promote economic development statewide; to provide for definitions; to provide for the appointment of members to the board of the local and regional economic development districts; to provide for the boards' functions, powers, and duties; to authorize the boards to exercise the power of taxation, levy assessments on property, and collect certain fees; to authorize the districts to undertake certain projects for the promotion of local and regional economic development activities; to provide procedures for the issuance of bonds, notes, certificates, or other evidences of indebtedness; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1186—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO

AN ACT

To provide with respect to the Revenue Sharing Fund and the allocation and distribution thereof for Fiscal Year 2006-2007; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1204—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES QUEZAIRE AND ALARIO AND SENATORS  
 ELLINGTON AND HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:389(C)(3), to enact R.S. 32:1525, and to repeal R.S. 32:1513(A), relative to motor carrier violations; to implement a procedure for the review of motor carrier violations; to provide relative to the assessment of penalties and collection of fines for violations; to provide relative to notification of violations to motor carriers and owners of motor vehicles; to provide relative to the administrative review of such violations; to authorize the posting of certain violations on the office of state police web site; to authorize the suspension of registration and commercial driver's license renewals under certain circumstances; to authorize the promulgation of rules and regulations; to prohibit the seizure of certain motor vehicles; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1229—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE BAUDOIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:15, relative to state lands; to prohibit permanent stands on state lands; to provide definitions; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1281—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES DORSEY, DANIEL, HONEY, AND JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 33:9033.4 and 9038.1, relative to tax increment financing; to specify those taxes which may be levied and the increments of which may be pledged and dedicated in certain tax increment financing; to provide relative to the effect of the invalidity of any tax or tax increment on other taxes or tax increments; to provide for legislative intent; to provide for sales tax increment financing in Jefferson Parish, including provisions for a special district and its rights and powers and the use of tax increment financing by the district; to provide for redesignation of certain statutes by the Louisiana State Law Institute; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1293—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK SMITH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 51:1783(6) and (7) and 1787(A)(1), (B)(2)(a), (C)(1), (D)(2)(a), (F), and (H)(1)(a), relative to the rebate of sales and use taxes pursuant to the Louisiana Enterprise Zone Act; to provide for the rebate of local sales and use taxes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1307—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES HUTTER AND LANCASTER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:402(C), (E)(1)(c) and (2)(c), and (F)(3), 467(3), 1280.21, and 1280.22(B)(1), relative to the presidential preference primary and elections held at the same time as such primary; to change the dates of the presidential preference primary and elections held at the same time as such primary; to provide relative to the dates of candidate qualifying for certain municipal and ward officers; to provide relative to candidate qualifying for the presidential preference primary; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1383— (Substitute for House Bill No. 875  
 by Representative Townsend)**

BY REPRESENTATIVE TOWNSEND

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:4(A)(1)(c), relative to retail food establishments; to provide for rules and regulations; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 13—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES GREENE AND TOOMY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article V, Section 24 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide for the qualifications of office for judges; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for an effective date; to provide for applicability; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 707—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES FARRAR, RICHMOND, AND STRAIN

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article I, Section 4(G) of the Constitution of Louisiana, to prohibit, except in limited instances, the transfer or lease of property expropriated by the state or its political subdivisions to any person without first offering the property to the original owner; to provide that unused expropriated property be declared surplus property to be first offered to the original owner prior to sale to the general public by competitive bid; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVES HAMMETT, SALTER, ALARIO, AND DORSEY  
 AND SENATORS HINES, BAJOE, HEITMEIER, AND MOUNT

AN ACT

To provide with respect to the capital outlay budget and the capital outlay program for state government, state institutions, and other public entities; to provide for the designation of projects and improvements; to provide for the financing thereof making appropriations from certain sources; and to provide for related matters.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1208—**  
 BY REPRESENTATIVE ALARIO

AN ACT

To appropriate funds and to make certain reductions in appropriations from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations and reductions for said agencies and purposes for the 2005-2006 Fiscal Year; to establish certain special treasury funds; to amend certain special treasury funds; and to provide for related matters.

and asked that the President of the Senate affix his signature to the

same.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. SPEER  
Clerk of the House of Representatives

The House Bills and Joint Resolutions contained herein were signed by the President of the Senate.

### **Senate Study Request**

The following Senate Study Requests have been approved by a majority of the members of the Senate.

#### **SENATE STUDY REQUEST NO. 1—**

BY SENATOR BROOME

##### **A STUDY REQUEST**

To the Senate Committee on Education to study the feasibility of establishing a mandatory abstinence curriculum in junior high school.

#### **SENATE STUDY REQUEST NO. 2—**

BY SENATOR JONES

##### **A STUDY REQUEST**

To the Senate Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to study opportunities for communities and employers to determine employment needs and develop training programs to meet those needs.

### **Senate Concurrent Study Request**

The following Senate Concurrent Study Request has been approved by a majority of the members of the Senate and House of Representatives.

#### **SENATE CONCURRENT STUDY REQUEST NO. 1—**

BY SENATOR MOUNT

##### **A CONCURRENT STUDY REQUEST**

To the Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to meet and function as a joint committee to study the need for governmental restructuring and, in doing such study, to consider the issues regarding the best form for accomplishing such restructuring raised by Senate Bill No. 224 of the 2006 Regular Session.

